

Bremen Twp. Taxpayers Organizing To Fight The Re-Assessment Valuation

Bremen taxpayers showed a real live interest in the big mass meeting sponsored by the Tinley Park Lions Club at the Saenger Hall in Tinley Park Monday night to discuss and to protest the huge country values under the re-assessment.

As one of the speakers, Attorney W. Otto Wielgorecki of Blue Island gave some interesting facts and figures. He pointed out that many of the men sent out to measure up the various properties for reassessment by the tax commission took a rule: if gold, silver or dirt it was so much a foot. Some had never been in Tinley Park before.

Mr. Wielgorecki told what has been done in other townships in the county and what Calumet is now doing.

Charles F. Nielsen, assessor of the town of Bremen also spoke and advised the taxpayers to give him the old tax receipts immediately so that the new valuations could be given the taxpayers of Bremen township.

Paul Rauhoff, president of the Tinley Park Lions Club made the statement that a house in Evanston and one in Tinley Park were both computed at so much per square ft. for the same type of house, yet the Tinley Park owner could not hope to obtain the rentals prevailing in Evanston. Therefore, Mr. Rauhoff, declared, it is discrimination. He gave another illustration of a farmer who owns 80 acres of land, 40 in Cook and the other 40 in Lake county. The former is assessed at \$800 an acre; the later at \$60 an acre.

The following petition was adopted at this meeting:

"Whereas, the Illinois tax commission has committed an outrage upon the tax payers of Bremen township by imposing a valuation for purposes of taxation which amounts to confiscation of property, and, Whereas as the people and taxpayers of Bremen township desire to adopt methods and devise ways and means of procuring a fair, just and equitable valuation, now, therefore

"Be it resolved by the people of Bremen township in meeting assembled that we at once procure an audience with the county assessors and county reviewers for the purpose of compelling a just and equitable valuation, and

"Be it further resolved that the people assemble and appear in a body before the county assessors and county reviewers for the purpose of informing them that the valuation is confiscation and take such other action which may be necessary to fight such confiscation."

Bremen will use similar protest blanks as Calumet and Worth.

The next general committee meeting will take place next Monday night at the Arbor Park school at Oak Forest.

TRIANGLE CLUB NOTES

By Ben Argyle
The Triangle Club held its first meeting in the new club rooms, in the Community Hall, on Monday the 13th, with a majority of the members present.

The play presented by the club on January 14 drew a large attendance. It was a fine production and very interesting.

REMEMBER FOLKS! The club is giving a valentine dance in a couple of weeks, the date is February 15.

Basketball games have been postponed because of the bad weather, and will be played in the near future.

The Community Hall which is our new club room certainly has every convenience and the members are very glad they made the change.

The member whose absence was quite noticeable on Monday evening was our vice-president, Mr. Harold Monson, we all sincerely hope that he will be with us at our next meeting and to enjoy our new quarters with us. Thank you.

PUBLIC SALE

EDW. SCHMAEDEKE, Auctioneer
Jan. 22—M. J. Knoblauch, Frankfort, Illinois.
Jan. 25—Nate Fisher, Midlothian, Jan. 27—Geo. Weitenkeller, Oak Forest
Feb. 6—John Stege, Tinley Park
Feb. 15—Fred Mager, Orland

NOTICE

The Mokena P. T. A. will not present their plays at Orland as announced in the Orland column elsewhere in this paper. This notice was received after the first section of the paper was printed.

John M. Jenco Will Enter Race For Representative



John M. Jenco, of Joliet former representative of the 41st senatorial district advises that he will be an aspirant on the Republican ticket for the office of state representative at the primary April 8.

County Snow Plow Opens Country Roads

The snow of last week raised havoc with a number of highways around Mokena and so brought out some interesting news.

A number of farmers who were snowed in west of Mokena had to detour thru the field of Peter Mancke and when the ground began to thaw from the heavy rain and warm weather it was almost impossible to drive an auto thru this detour. In addition the field has been sown with alfalfa and using it as a road way is not beneficial to the seed.

An appeal was made to Highway Commissioner Emil D. Cappel of Frankfort township during the first blizzard a few weeks ago to open this highway, but Mr. Cappel maintained that the township had made no appropriation to open drifted highways. The farmers finally opened the highway themselves but filed bills against the township for their labor.

After the big storm of last week a like condition existed. Commissioner Cappel communicated with Mr. Schupp, chairman of the Good Roads Committee of Will County asking if the county snow plow could be sent to Frankfort township to open a number of highways that were buried in deep drifts and Mr. Schupp consented to do this.

Thru the courtesy of the latter and his helpers the snow plow went into action Tuesday and opened these highways, also the one west of Mokena which has been a bitter bone of contention. Commissioner Cappel claims that not having any town funds to spend for opening snow drifted roads he was helpless and could not be compelled to open highways. It was only thru the courtesy of the Will County officials that the highways in question were finally opened to traffic again.

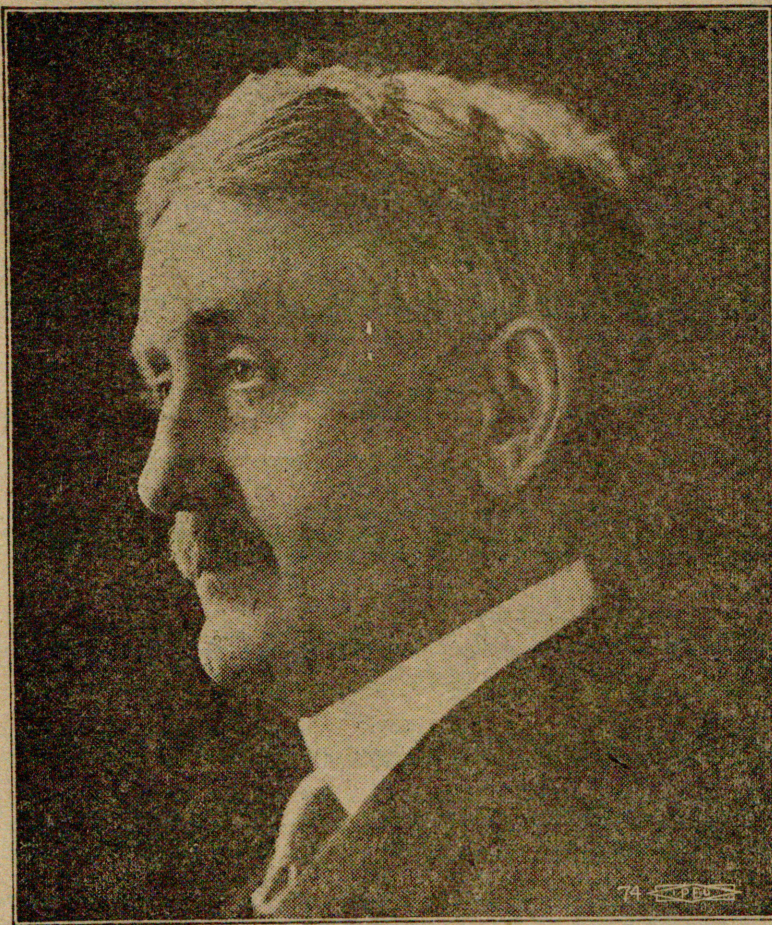
On the other hand neighbors of L. G. Bruder claim the credit for the opening of their highway was due to the efforts of Mr. Bruder who had taken the matter up with County Supt. of Highways, Will H. Smith who came to Frankfort, Tuesday and ordered the County snow plow on the job. It was also shown that Mr. Bruder sent telegrams to Governor L. L. Emmerson and to the third assistant Post-master General, Washington, asking that action be taken to open the highway.

The highway is now open so everyone is satisfied.

Village License Must Be Paid Court Rules

That special village business tax can be enforced was shown the past week when the village of Frankfort won a suit in the court of Judge Frederick Hill, Joliet against Conrad Sippel of Frankfort, who had refused to pay an ice cream parlor license of \$15 per year in 1927. After his refusal to pay the license the village brought suit against him in the court of Judge Zerbs in Joliet and won, but Mr. Sippel appealed the case to the circuit court which upheld the special license law. Mr. Sippel was represented by Attorney Frank Brummond of Joliet. Attorney Albert Krusemark of Frankfort was the counsel for the village of Frankfort.

SENATOR R. J. BARR WILL SEEK REPUBLICAN RE-NOMINATION



Senator Richard J. Barr, of Joliet, announced today that he would seek the republican nomination for state senator in the 41st senatorial district comprising Will and DuPage counties, at the primary April 8.

While it was generally expected he would seek reelection to the state senate, his formal announcement was made today.

Senator Barr has represented the two counties in the upper house for a number of years. He has served on practically every important committee in the senate and was president of the senate for two years.

His able leadership has made him a power in the legislature under various administrations.

Senator Barr's entry into politics started when he was elected city attorney and later mayor of Joliet. While mayor, when the city was under aldermanic form of government, he developed capabilities of leadership which enabled him to obtain many important improvements.

During his majority a track elevation plan was adopted by which four steam lines operating thru the business section of Joliet elevated their tracks. This improvement was accomplished without any expense to the city.

During his term as mayor of Joliet he built a city library, erected a central police station, established a city street department, developed a system of artesian wells thru which the city obtains its present water supply, and purchased a site for a municipal building.

During the period he has represented Will and DuPage counties in the state senate he has been instrumental in obtaining many important improvements for his district.

Senator Barr was one of the first republican leaders to endorse and work for the passage of the sixty million dollar and the one hundred million dollar bond issue road programs. When the map for the roads under the sixty million dollar bond issue was developed he saw to it that Will and DuPage counties obtained 172 miles of roads, while under the one hundred million dollar bond issue the two counties are scheduled to receive 162 miles of concrete roads. Along with the road work he has ably represented the

two counties on grade separation problems.

Thru his efforts a traffic bridge over the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railroad Company tracks at Joliet was erected. He also prevailed upon the state highway department to establish subways under the Rock Island tracks on route 22 and under the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railroad tracks on route 4.

Route 69 one of the state highways west from Joliet, which serves the Joliet park board airport, has been designated Barr highway because of his work in highway construction.

"In my judgment there will be a tremendous development in Illinois during the next few years along a commercial and industrial nature," Senator Barr said.

"Highways, completion of the Illinois waterway, and airports are destined to play an important part in this development in our metropolitan area fringing upon the great city of Chicago.

"The state highway department expects to spend \$20,000,000 in widening some of our present roads, for new roads, and secondary highways connecting our main arteries of travel in the Chicago metropolitan area of which Will and DuPage counties are included. It is important that our district obtains its share of this great program. Completion of state routes 53, 54 and 59 in DuPage county will be of great value to this area.

"Many legislative problems will arise in connection with our deep waterway, such as docks, harbors, bridges and municipal rights along the watercourse. The tremendous strides being made in air transportation means many airports will be located in our district in a short time. As I have worked for highways and the waterway and am vitally interested in air transportation I should like to serve the residents of Will and DuPage counties again when these problems are discussed in the legislature.

"Experience is an important essential in efficient public service I believe the experience gained in my years of service in the legislature a most important factor and I shall ask the voters in Will and DuPage counties to nominate me April 8."

Does Not Like Hoovercrats

Editor News-Bulletin:
I just received the petition of James H. Kirby, asking that some Democrat be asked to circulate it for signatures. There are three good reasons why I cannot sign it or ask any other Democrat to sign it.

1st—He says that he is not a Democrat, but a Hoovercrat.

2nd—There are too many Anti-Saloon Leaguers in the U. S. Senate now.

3rd—It is evident that Mr. Kirby is only a Democrat so far as he can use the party to satisfy his own ambition.

There will be a stiff fight on in the Democratic primary. Mr. Campbell should receive the vote of every Democrat for the U. S. Senate. He is honest, fearless and a Democrat.

I believe that he will be nominated. Also I hope to see Sheriff Margraf nominated for the state senate. I believe that if he will accept the nomination he will be elected for the independent voters will support him.

Now a word to the Democrats of Frankfort township. Stay by your own party. Let us secure the best men we have in the party as candidates, men who the independent voters will support.

Thanking you in advance, I re-

First Robin Is Seen At Goodings Grove, Jan. 10

The earliest report made of seeing a robin, the much heralded harbinger of spring, comes from Goodings Grove where Miss Julia Tilsy reports seeing a robin on January 10th (1930)

Mokena Pastor Goes To Watseka

Rev. D. C. Henning, who has been pastor of the Immanuel Lutheran church at Mokena for nearly six years, has accepted a call from Watseka, Illinois and will preach his farewell sermon Sunday January 20. He expects to move to his new charge either the last of this month or the forepart of next month.

To Hold Clinic

Dr. John Mitchell will conduct a clinic for crippled children and adults on Wednesday, January 22nd, between the hours of 8:30 and 12 a. m., in the Public Health Council rooms, Joliet, Illinois.

Yours respectfully,
C. L. SYLVESTER, Mokena, Ill.

Startling Facts Exposed At Orland M. E. Program

Mr. E. J. Davis of the Better Government Association presented some startling facts concerning the condition of Cook county at the monthly Church night program of the Orland Park M. E. Church on January 8th. In spite of the bad night, there was a very good attendance.

Mr. Davis maintained that the loss of homes for many people is now going on and will continue unless a county board is elected that will use its powers to stop the criminal waste of public funds by all local governments in Chicago and Cook county.

The increased cost of government on account of the world war should have become adjusted by 1919 but there has been a constant rise in costs and indebtedness of local government since that date, as is shown by the following tables of bonded indebtedness in 1919 as compared with 1927:

1919	
City of Chicago	\$45,875,100
Sanitary District	13,580,000
Cook County	9,207,500
Forest Preserve	6,414,000
South Park Board	4,003,000
West Park Board	3,138,000
Lincoln Park Board	2,406,000
Total	\$84,623,000

1927	
City of Chicago	\$77,376,800
Sanitary District	82,682,000
Cook County	16,732,000
Forest Preserve	15,139,000
South Park Board	45,346,000
West Park Board	10,047,000
Lincoln Park Board	6,692,000
Total	\$254,614,800

There is floating indebtedness at present of \$270,000,000. The total indebtedness of local governments at present is over a half billion dollars.

Add annual cost of local governments in Cook County \$350,000,000.

Annual cost of racketeering, growing out of crime and politics, as estimated by the Employers Association \$136,000,000.

The annual cost of crime conservatively estimated \$150,000,000

The total is a colossal burden averaging over \$800 per family per annum and is causing thousands to lose their homes and readjust on a lower standard of living. This is not caused by economic law but is the direct product of rotten, local government and is nullifying the influence of the Federal government's effort to help business.

There are many theoretical plans for the financial relief of Chicago, but none of them seem to take into consideration the fact that if we elect wasteful and dishonest public officials, we must as a community pay the bills they make.

The surest practical remedy for present conditions is to nominate and elect a County Board of honest, reliable, determined men who will finance Grand Jury investigations of every department of local government anywhere in Cook County where grafting seems to be going on. All officials found criminally wasting public funds should be immediately indicted and tried for misfeasance or malfeasance in office.

Just how can the County Board operate through a Grand Jury to stop graft and waste? The County Board can request one of the forty-four Circuit and Superior Court judges, preferably the Chief Justice of the Criminal Court, to convene a special grand jury. The County Board can appropriate money to provide for the

Tinley P. T. A. Fete Fathers

The Tinley Park P. T. A. sponsored "Fathers Night" at the Community hall Friday night. The affair was quite well attended in spite of the bad weather.

The program was opened with a community sing. Mrs. Florence Anderson, president of the P. T. A., made brief, but timely remarks Mr. Frank Bentley was the speaker of the evening. He spoke on "Responsibility of Fathers". The flag was placed at the head of Henry Vogt's row as he had the most fathers present.

Brown Campbell sang a solo which was much appreciated. In all the evening was a profitable one and was much enjoyed.

Lottie Holman O'Neil Workers Lay Out Plans

A meeting of Lottie Holman O'Neil precinct workers was held on Monday afternoon in the office of attorney A. H. Krusemark in Joliet. About fifty women were present. Mrs. O'Neil was present and advised the workers what line of procedure to follow in the forth coming campaign. The women workers displayed much enthusiasm.

400 Tickets Sold at Tinley Masquerade

A wale of a crowd attended the big masquerade ball given by the Tinley Park Volunteer Fire Department at the Saenger hall last Saturday night. Over \$150 in prizes were awarded and over 400 tickets were sold.

Mokena Couple Married In Joliet

Miss Stella Schultz and William Helenhouse, both of Mokena, were quietly married last Wednesday morning in St. Anthony's church, Father Valetti officiating. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. John Martin of Mokena.

Mr. Helenhouse has been engaged in the blacksmith business in Mokena for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Helenhouse have gone to housekeeping in the former cottage adjoining his blacksmith shop. The friends of the newly weds wish them much joy and a long blissful life.

NOTICE

After January 18, 1930 the Bremen State Bank will remain closed on Saturday nights until further notice.

functioning of such grand jury.

The Grand Jury so selected can then carry on a thorough investigation of the conduct of any department of local government. To aid such Grand Jury, the County Board can enlist the services of the State's Attorney, or, if necessary, hire a special State's Attorney.

Such Grand Jury can subpoena people who have done business with the Department under investigation. It can run down the various leads which are discovered or which may be brought to it. It can subpoena business men who have entered into contracts with the department under investigation for public work and question them as to the nature of the contracts and whether or not there was a real or a fake competition in the awarding of contracts.

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Save A Promotion For Yourself

Do you know that most business men are on the lookout for young men who know the value of money?

In a large business organization where changes are always occurring, the individuals who are recognized and promoted are those who have their own bank account and are adding to it regularly.

If you want to be recognized and promoted, start a savings account with our bank and show that you know the value of money.

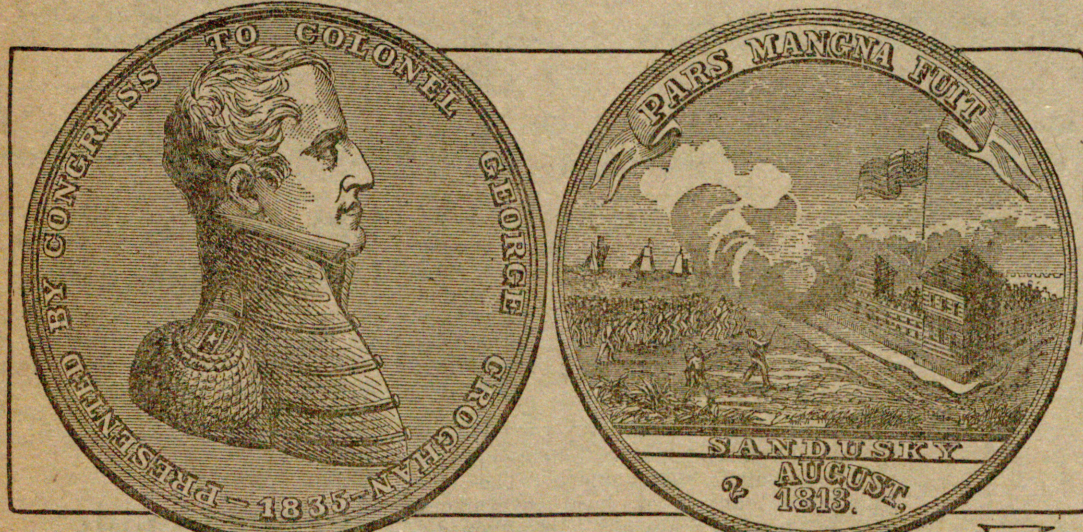
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THE HOOVER PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL International Photo



GOLD MEDAL AWARDED TO GENERAL CROGHAN

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

FOLLOWING an established custom, the United States mint recently issued the thirtieth in the series of Presidential medals this one commemorating the inauguration of Herbert Hoover as President of the United States. The medal is made of bronze and will be sold to the public for \$1.00, which is its value in United States currency. Any one in this series is available to the public at the same cost.

The first of these medals to be struck is that undraped bust of Washington facing the right, with the inscription, "George Washington, President of the United States," and the date, 1789. The artist who designed this medal was Pierre Simon du Vivier, grandson of Jean du Vivier, known as Du Vivier "le pere," the first of a distinguished family of medal engravers who, at the beginning of the Seventeenth century, lived in Lige.

The reverse of the medal has the legend "Peace and Friendship," and two hands clasped in token of amity. On the cuff of the left wrist there are three stripes and buttons with the American eagle; the other wrist is bare; above, the pipe of peace and tomahawk are crossed, Indian emblems of peace and war.

The reverse of this medal is repeated on the medals of the Presidents from Washington to William Henry Harrison, who died after one month in office. The reverse of the Harrison medal bears this inscription, with a laurel wreath: "Inaugurated President of the United States March 4, 1841. Died April 4, 1841."

The medals of John Tyler, 1841, James K. Polk, 1845, and Zachary Taylor, 1849, have the same reverse as the Washington medal—clasped hands with the calumet and tomahawk.

The artist who designed the medal for Millard Fillmore, 1850, placed on the reverse a different design, but still typifying the friendship between the United States and the Indians—a white man and an Indian stand before a flag in an agricultural scene; above, "Labor, Virtue, Honor." This design is repeated on the reverse of the Pierce and Buchanan medals.

The medal struck for Abraham Lincoln carries on the obverse his head, bearded, facing the right with the simple lettering, "Abraham Lincoln." On the reverse, "Inaugurated President of the United States, March 4, 1861. Second term, March 4, 1865. Assassinated April 14, 1865," surrounded by an oak wreath. The simplicity of this medal and the fine balance of lettering make it one of the most artistic of the series.

The next medal, the Andrew Johnson, is the last to bear a representation of the peace between the United States and the Indians. On the reverse is the figure of Columbia, in a flowing robe, grasping the hand of an Indian chief before a tomb surmounted by the bust of Washington.

Except for the portraits there are but slight differences in the later medals, most of which bear on the reverse the simple lettering stating the dates of inauguration. For William McKinley two medals were struck, the second commemorating his assassination on September 6, 1901. The reverse of this represents the mourning figure of Columbia, designed by Mr. Morgan, the artist who later engraved the Harding medal.

The Presidential medals, however, are only a small part of those authorized by congress and struck by the mint in order to perpetuate the fame of Americans of outstanding achievement. Among the most interesting of the others are the medals given officers of the army and navy as a part of their reward for distinguished services. This custom began during the Revolution, the first one being a medal in commemoration of the retaking of Boston in 1776. The medal bears the bust of Washington with the inscription, "Georgio Washington Supremo duci exercituum adsertori liberatis." (The American Congress to George Washington, Commander-in-Chief of the armies, assessor of liberty.) On the reverse, "Hostibus primo fugatis." (The enemy put to flight for the first time.) Washington on his horse, surrounded by his staff, points to the British fleet which is leaving Boston. The American army in battle array makes ready to occupy the city. This fine

medal was designed by Du Vivier, who also designed the Presidential medal of Washington.

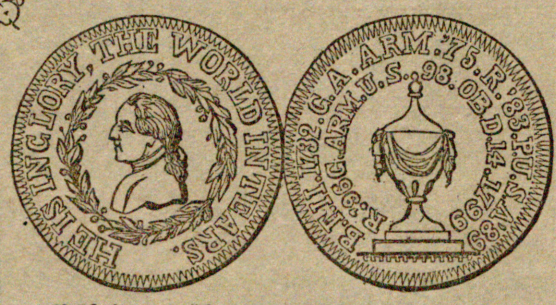
Thereafter the Continental congress voted such an award to nearly every general who won a battle, as for example the gold medal given to Gen. Daniel Morgan and the silver medals to his subordinates for their victory at Cowpens, or who won a campaign, such as Gen. Nathaniel Greene, for his brilliant maneuvers in the South which wore out his opponent, Lord Cornwallis, and led finally to Yorktown and the British surrender.

The small Washington medal (shown above) is typical of the many which were struck after the death of the first President. This one, which was made of silver and is described as "a little larger and thicker than the Spanish quarter of a dollar," was designed by Dudley A. Tyn, collector of customs at Newburyport, Mass., at that time and was made by Jacob Perkins, a well-known engraver and die-cutter. This is only one of the many bearing the head of Washington, there being about fifty others, not to mention an even greater number in which his features appear in some combination.

After John Paul Jones in the Bon Homme Richard won his great naval victory over the Serapis during the Revolution, congress passed resolutions in his honor three times and also presented him with a gold medal. And that started a veritable flood of medals for our naval heroes which reached its high tide during the War of 1812. One was struck in 1800 in honor of Thomas Truxton's victory over a French ship and another in 1804 in honor of Commodore Preble's services in subduing the Barbary pirates. Then came the second war with England with its series of American victories on the sea to dispel some of the gloom caused by the repeated defeats on the land. It brought medals to Capt. Isaac Hull, Commander Jacob Jones, Capt. Stephen Decatur, Capt. William Bainbridge, Capt. Oliver Hazard Perry, Capt. Jesse D. Elliott, Capt. James Lawrence, Lieut. William Burrows, Lieut. Edward McCall, Capt. Robert Henley, Lieut. Stephen Cassin, Commodore Thomas MacDonough, Capt. Johnston Blakeley, Capt. Lewis Warrington, Capt. Charles Stewart and Capt. James Biddle.

But that the war on land was not all defeats is shown by the fact that valorous military services won medals for the following: Gen. William Henry Harrison and Gov. Isaac Shelby of Kentucky at the Battle of the Thames; Gen. James Miller, Gen. Winfield Scott, Gen. Edmund Gaines, Gen. Jacob Brown, Gen. Peter Porter and Gen. Eleazer Ripley at the Battles of Chippewa, Niagara and Erie; Gen. Alexander Macomb at the Battle of Plattsburgh; Gen. Andrew Jackson at the Battle of New Orleans, and Gen. George Croghan at the defense of Fort Stephenson, Sandusky.

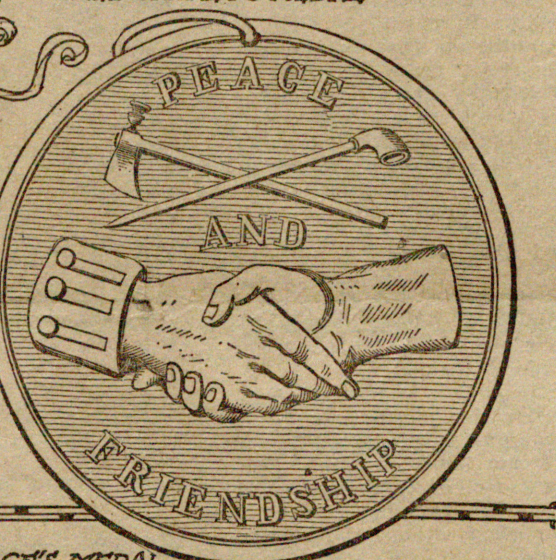
The latter was one of the most brilliant feats in all American history. Croghan, a nephew of George Rogers Clark and a youngster of twenty-four, who had already won the rank of major, was placed in command of Fort Stephenson, a ramshackle old stockade which was the outpost protecting the supplies and munitions of all the American armies in the Northwest. His garrison consisted of 100 officers and men, but this tiny force successfully withstood the assaults of 3,000 Indians under Tecumseh and 600 British regulars



WASHINGTON MEDAL



RED JACKET'S MEDAL



BLACK PARTRIDGE'S MEDAL

under General Proctor, inflicting such heavy losses that the enemy was forced to retreat. The American loss was only one killed and seven wounded! By this victory the safety of the American supply depots was assured, the state of Ohio was delivered from the fear of British and Indian invasion and the Old Northwest was again saved to the American flag.

Croghan's medal was one of the 42 awarded by specific acts of congress down to the time of the Civil war. Eleven were given for deeds performed during the Revolution, one each for the French and Tripolitan war, 27 for the War of 1812 and two for the Mexican war. The only medals awarded during the Civil war were to General Grant and Commodore Vanderbilt and only one was given during the Spanish-American war—to Admiral Dewey. After that war the general medal of honor took the place of the old-fashioned congressional award.

Early in its history the United States began issuing medals for the War department to present to Indian chieftains on the conclusion of treaties of peace. The Red Jacket medal (shown above), owned by the famous Seneca chief, was typical of the medals issued during the administration of President Washington. It was given to Red Jacket in 1792 after the United States and the Six Nations had signed a treaty of peace soon after the close of the Revolution. This medal is made of silver, with a heavy rim, and is five inches in width and nearly seven inches in length. The devices upon it were engraved, it is said, by David Rittenhouse, the famous Philadelphia philosopher who was a jeweler in his younger days.

Large numbers of medals similar to this one were presented to the chiefs who signed the Treaty of Greenville in 1795 and came to be regarded as insignia of leadership, being handed down from one generation to another in tribes where the chieftainship was hereditary. About the time of the administration of Jefferson the regular Presidential medal was used for presentation to the Indians and one of these which had an especially interesting history is the Black Partridge medal (shown above), once the property of the famous Pottawatomie chief, who played such a noble role at the Fort Dearborn massacre in 1812.

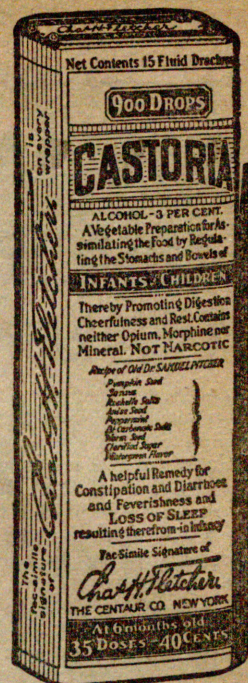
When Black Partridge learned that Captain Heald, commander at Fort Dearborn, had been ordered to evacuate that post he went to him and said: "Father, I come to deliver to you the medal I wear. It was given me by the Americans, and I have long worn it in token of our mutual friendship. But our young men are resolved to imbrue their hands in the blood of the white people. I cannot restrain them, and I will not wear a token of peace while I am compelled to act as an enemy." How true was his warning was shown by the scenes of horror which followed when the little garrison marched out of the fort and started on its march to Fort Wayne. In the midst of the slaughter it was Black Partridge who saved Mrs. Helm, the wife of one of the officers, from the attack of an infuriated young brave, a deed which is commemorated in the Fort Dearborn massacre monument which stands at the foot of Eighteenth street in Chicago today.

When Babies FRET

There are times when a baby is too fretful or feverish to be sung to sleep. There are some pains a mother cannot pat away. But there's no time when any baby can't have the quick comfort of Castoria! A few drops, and your little one is soon at ease—back to sleep almost before you can slip away.

Remember this harmless, pure vegetable preparation when children are ailing. Don't stop its use when Baby has been brought safely through the age of colic,

diarrhea, and other infantile ills. Give good old Castoria until your children are in their teens! Whenever coated tongues tell of constipation; whenever there's any sign of sluggishness that needs no stronger medicines to relieve. Castoria is pleasant-tasting; children love to take it. Buy the genuine—with Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on wrapper.



Few Can
Gregory—The doctor says I can't play golf.
Harrison—Didn't you know?

Principal capital needed in welfare work is cheerfulness.

"The Late Lamented"
Bunker—Did you hear about the two worms fighting in dead earnest?
Debunker—Yes, poor Ernest!

The homelier a man is the more his wife trusts him.

Home Has More Danger Than Savages of Brazil

JOHN J. WHITEHEAD, explorer and lecturer, has just returned from eight months in the jungles of South America, where he was searching for traces of the lost Colonel Fawcett and his son.

Dangerous as he found the jungle, he encountered a worse danger at home. But let him tell it.

"One of the great problems of a trip of this kind is keeping in healthy condition. When we started, some of the members of the party had laxatives with them, but made wise by experience I carried Nujol. All too quickly my stock ran out. Soon I was in bad shape—what with a diet of rice and beans, lacking vitamins and green vegetables.

"When we finally got back to civilization, entertained first in Brazil and later in the United States, I became positively ill. Severe stomach pains and poor elimination made me realize that Nujol would again prove the reliable, trustworthy keeper of health. Sure enough, with the first bottle the trouble disappeared.

Don't think Nujol is a medicine. It is as tasteless and colorless as clear water. It brings you, however, what your body needs like any other machine—lubrication. Just as a good bath washes our bodies clean, Nujol



John J. Whitehead, explorer and lecturer, with a Jungle Warrior

sweeps away, easily and normally, those internal bodily poisons (we all have them) that make us feel dull and headachy and sick. Nujol cannot hurt even a little baby; it forms no habit; it contains not one single drug. Doctors and nurses use it themselves and tell you to use it, if you want to be well.

Take Nujol every night for two weeks and prove to yourself how happy and bright and full of pep you can be, if your body is internally clean. Get a bottle today at any drug store. It costs but a few cents, and makes you feel like a million dollars. Start traveling the health-road to success and happiness—this very day!

Costly Proposition

Mrs. Tapp—I've noticed that the farmers always have a man for a scarecrow.

Mr. Tapp—That's because they couldn't afford to dress a woman scarecrow.—Answer.

That's Too Bad

Teacher—But, Jackie, why are you playing here? Surely you should be at school.

Jackie—There! I knew there was something I had forgotten!—Passing Show.



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CHAPTER XII

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Castaways on a Coral Atoll

The last German colony! We found it on this beautiful, isolated coral atoll in the middle of the Pacific. The Imperial German flag of war flew from the top of the tallest palm. I was the viceroy, by chance and not by desire, of course, and my sailors and our prisoners were my subjects. The only visiting nationals from elsewhere were the three Kanakas, the turtle catchers. "The White King of the Society Isle of Mopelia," my mate facetiously called me. One of the Yankee captains put it differently. He called me "the Sea Devil King of the South Seas." And he caustically described our lovely isle as "a poisoned paradise." Everybody was good humored, despite our hard luck.

But our little South Sea colony passed its first nights uneasily. For sleeping places, we slung hammocks between the palms. At intervals, a coconut would fall from a height of fifty or sixty feet and go whizzing close by a man's head. While our fellow countrymen back in the cities along the Rhine were complaining about the night raids of the French and British bombing squadrons, we had our bombing problem also. It didn't make much difference whether you were bumped off with a falling coconut or a falling bomb. The result was all the same. After one whizzed by your ear, you would very likely go down to the open beach to quiet your nerves. Then if you tried to sleep there, the land crabs would soon convince you that the beach was no place for a weary war veteran either. Patrols of fighting marine crabs would raid that beach every night. After being chased out by the crabs, you would go back to your hammock and lie awake wondering when the next aerial coconut bombardment would commence. So life during those first days on our tropic isle was not all skittles and beer or orchids and coconut milk. You can bet we worked hard getting up huts! Luckily, there were no casualties from either crabs or coconuts.

We cleared a large space for our village, and built huts out of timbers, sailcloth, and palm leaves. The first one up was a queer-looking thing, but our architecture improved with practice. Our prisoners, who were all Americans, helped us a great deal. They understood the art of pitching tents. They built a special town for themselves, and gave the streets such names as Broadway, State street, Pennsylvania avenue, and the Bowery. In time we contrived to arrange quite decent dwelling places. Of course, we also installed our wireless set ashore in order to keep in touch with passing ships and events happening out on this side of the world. Nor did we neglect to take ashore a heavy arsenal of arms and ammunition, including rifles, Luger pistols, hand grenades, and dynamite. In short, we had a perfect little town with everything except a calaboose. Some of our men who had romantic tendencies constructed "country homes" for themselves a few hundred yards away in the jungle. Then we named the place Seadlerburg, Sea Eagle Town.

There were gulls' eggs everywhere along the shore, but the birds were brooding now, and most of the eggs we collected had half-formed little gulls in them. We got around this by clearing a large section of beach and throwing the old eggs into the lagoon. Then the gulls flocked back and laid more eggs, and thus a supply of fresh eggs was assured.

Our American prisoners were nearly all cheery fellows. Some of them fitted in with the new life better than my men. They seemed to know all about the art of fishing, and taught us German things we had never dreamed of. They were accustomed to what in the states along the Gulf of Mexico is called spearing eels. They fastened iron bars to shafts of wood and with these speared big fish in the coral lagoon.

They also showed us a clever way of catching fish on a grand scale. They took some forty men and boys and, just as high tide was turning, formed in a line about fifty yards offshore. Then the line came splashing in, driving the fish before it toward shore, just as the natives round up tigers for a rajah in India. Many of the fish floundered into shallow water, and a few minutes later were left stranded by the receding tide. You see, the water, as it backed offshore, left large pools on top of the irregular coral reef, and there the fish were trapped. Sometimes we caught five or six hundred pounds a day, and it was exciting sport.

One night, while we were sitting around our fire, we heard a scratching sound. It seemed to come from everywhere. We looked and found a lot of crabs with big claws. They were hermit crabs. We caught several and put them in boiling water to cook. Meanwhile, the crab invasion continued, and more from behind kept pushing the rest forward. We tried the ones we had cooked, and they were delicious. They were as good as the best lobster.

"By Joe," I said, "boys, let's get busy."

We spread out a large sail and filled it up with crabs, like a sack. We must have had several thousand of them. For days we lived on them, until most of us couldn't look a crab in the face. We had 'em boiled, broiled, and in soup. Then that invasion of these hermits passed as mysteriously as it had come, and we never saw them again. But the turtles were always with us. We caught a number of them and kept them in a coral basin at one end of the lagoon. The wild pigs on the island provided us with more fun and more food. They fed on coconuts, which is the best kind of fodder to make good pork. There were snipe on our island, too, and we hunted them with great success, thereby varying our sea food and pork diet. Using coconut shells for fuel, we smoked what flesh and fish we could. By way of vegetables, we had coconuts, and bread made of coconut flour, which the Kanakas taught us to prepare, and hearts of palms.

If our new home teemed with useful, edible creatures, it was not lacking in pestilential forms of life, either, these both of native origin and im-



The Camp on Mopelia.

ported from ships. A thousand kinds of insects were everywhere. If you awakened thirsty at night and reached for your glass of water, you were likely to find that it contained more cockroaches than water. You had to reconcile yourself to getting up in the morning and finding your toothbrush alive with ants. The ants were particularly pervasive. We could only guard against them by putting the legs of tables, chairs, and other articles of furniture in cupfuls of water. We slept at night to the ceaseless shuffle of rats, huge insolent fellows, running about on tops of our tents. Pipette waged war against them, but the odds were too great. It would have taken a whole regiment of terriers to end that plague.

Flashing birds of paradise flew from palm to palm. Gorgeous humming birds with green and yellow breasts darted among the branches. With every flower there seemed to be a great butterfly. The whole island was aglow with butterflies. They floated on wide, beating wings of greens, violets, and was awakened by a small, sharp, repeated sound—knick, knick, knick. It was the opening of tropical flowers. I went outside and there I saw the lovely Queen of Night, which blossoms by the light of the tropical stars. It is a great, gorgeous bloom, eight or ten inches across. There were thousands of them. Scores of glowworms, far brighter than any we know, hovered about each, eager to catch the magnificent perfume that the opening Queen of Night gives forth. In the darkness I could see the flowers only by the light of the glowworms. On every side were these eerie nocturnal lights, a dancing lamp of gathered glowworms illuminating each flower. In that unearthly gleaming, like a kind of moonlight only stronger, the odorous petals shone with the ghostly nuances of their naturally flaming colors, white, crimson, sapphire blue, violet blue. In the South Seas, the

flowers have little scent by day, while the sun shines on them. At night, when the dew falls, perfume awakens. It is truly a perfumed night. And the nostrils of man are excited by the rich and almost oppressive blending of odors. The Queen of Night gives off the perfume of vanilla. Mingled with it comes the scent of hyacinth, orchid, mayflower, and heliotrope. Sweet-smelling breezes blow, and above is the tropical sky with its clustered flashing stars and gorgeous Milky Way. Hanging above the horizon is the far-famed Southern Cross.

In the middle of the camp we made a sort of plaza. The Seadler's batteries furnished electric light for it, and there we gathered every night. We still had plenty of champagne and cognac left from the capture of the champagne ship. So, in the cool of the evening, we sat out there on the edge of this equatorial Potsdammer Platz sipping drinks out of wine and brandy glasses, just as we might have at the Adlon in Berlin. There was plenty of pipe tobacco, and Doctor Pletsch had taken care to rescue from the wreck a store of his endless cigars. The wind blew, the stars shone, and the orchestra alternately played German classics from the operas and American rag-time melodies. Ah, yes, this last bit of the once glorious overseas German empire wasn't such a bad little paradise at all. We castaways out there in the solitude of the South Seas felt as though we were the only people left in the world, like Noah and his family on Mount Ararat.

But after about three weeks of this Garden-of-Eden-without-an-Eve existence, the monotony of it began to get on our nerves. Of course, there was the "wife" of the officer of the . . . but she was far too busy to be interested in the rest of us. We hadn't been sent out to colonize the South Seas and take life easy. So we cast about for a way to go buccaneering again.

Our first need was for a ship to take the place of our unfortunate three-master impaled out there on the coral reef. The Kanakas told us that a French sailing vessel visited the island every year to take away turtle meat. The best guess that they could make was that it would be another six months or so before she arrived. Well, after six months, we would have a ship. We could always fall back on that. But, by Joe, six months was a long time to wait. The war might be won or lost by then. And it was highly unlikely that any other ship would stray into those waters for heaven knows how long. We all grew impatient. Few sailors are keen about remaining cast away on a tropical isle for long, and especially on an atoll as small as Mopelia. We felt the itch to get out to sea again. I was particularly anxious to set something stirring. Before long the tropical sun and lazy life would sap my men's vitality, and all they would be good for would be to loiter around.

We still had our lifeboats, and the hurricane season was not on. So why not put to sea in one of them? We devised rigging and sails for our best lifeboat, mast, jib boom, main boom, gaff, stays, and back stays. We scraped, caulked, and painted her. She was not in any too good condition, and despite our labor she continued to leak a bit and needed constant bailing. Even in calm weather we had to bail forty pails a day. We loaded her with provisions for half a dozen men over a long voyage. She was eighteen feet in length and only about fourteen inches above water amidship. Into this small space we stored water, hardtack, machine guns, rifles, hand grenades, and pistols. The only luxuries we allowed ourselves were a few tins of pemmican, a side of bacon, and an accordion. The music of the squealer was to be our solace during a cruise the length of which none could foretell. The great question was, could our tiny craft survive a storm? At any rate, she could sail, and that was something. We christened her the Kronprinzessin Cecilie—without, however, painting her name on the stern.

Of course, everybody wanted to go, but there could be only six of us at the most. So I picked the men who seemed to be in the most vigorous health at the time, Mate Leudemann, Lieutenant Kirchheiss, Engineer Krauss, Boatswain Parmien, and Yeoman Erdmann. This left the colony on the atoll in the hands of Lieutenant Kling. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Tongue Twisters Ever Bob Up to Harrass Us

We all had sad experiences during the war disentangling word forms and their pronunciation, as we strove to keep track of events in the Near East, instance Lwow, Pryepolye and Priscene, which were by no means the worst. And now from another direction our eyes and ears are newly assailed, namely, from out Honolulu way, where an interisland transport company has had its vessels baptized and christened with names that ought to wear raffia skirts, so perfectly do they harmonize with "uke" music.

The eastern European words suffered from too many scrambled consonants, those of Hawaii from a superfluity of ogleinous vowels. When you make your next trip to the former Sandwich islands you may have the

Onions for Colds

The physician who recommends onions for a cold probably refers to their prophylactic properties in protecting the wearer of an onion bulb from too intimate exposure.—Louisville Courier Journal.

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Uncle Sam's Business

The official Register of the United States for 1929 shows 587,665 workers are now employed by the government through civil service. The register takes into consideration only employees in the executive branch of the government and does not include hundreds of thousands of others in the legislative, judicial or military services. In the federal executive service, 63,904 are employed in the District of Columbia and 523,761 in the field. Of the total number, 82,501 are women. The Post Office department has the greatest number of employees with 314,705 under civil service, while the Treasury department ranks second with 53,094 and the Navy and War departments rank third and fourth, respectively, with 50,575 and 47,267. In ten departments in Washington, more women are employed than men, but in the field service men predominate.

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Bringing to radio listeners of a large section of the United States a new and unique entertainment feature, the Continental Oil Company of Denver, Colorado, will go on the air early in 1930 with a regular weekly program over the National Broadcasting Company network. According to those who have seen the script and rehearsals, the Conoco dramatic productions, built around outstanding romantic historical events in the development of the Western United States, promise superb entertainment.

The whole of the Western States, the great scenic wonderland in which were enacted so many of the stirring dramas of American history from which fiction writers have drawn their material for decades, form the background for the Conoco programs. They will be dramatized incidents in the historical epic of the West, written as truly in accordance with the historical facts as historians and research workers can make them. They will include such miniature dramas as the discovery of Pike's Peak by Zebulon M. Pike, the opening of the Cherokee Strip in Oklahoma, which precipitated the wildest race for land ever recorded in history; Custer's Last Stand, in Montana; discovery of the Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico, and a score of others similar in character, each a chapter in the saga of the winning of the West.

To the millions of Americans who have seen this Western wonderland, or who are planning to see it during future summer motor tours, the Conoco programs will be particularly interesting, because of their direct bearing upon the scenic beauty-spots which have become the shrine of increasing millions of tourists each summer.

Sponsors of the program have announced that no expense has been spared in assembling the most competent available dramatic talent to reproduce the Conoco historical dramas, and no effort has been withheld to give them the realism which come only from a painstaking examination of historical documents of their respective periods. Elaborate musical back-grounds have been worked out to harmonize with the text of each playlet, and to conform to the highest standards of modern radio entertainment.

School children, especially, will be interested in the Conoco programs, because of their fidelity to historical fact, and the opportunity they afford students to acquire an accurate historical knowledge of one of the most colorful sections of their country through the intensely interesting dramatic playlet, instead of by means of the dry pages of a school history text.

The Conoco programs will be presented each Thursday evening from 10 to 10:30 p. m. (Central Standard Time), over the NBC network which includes the following Stations: WLS (Chicago); KWK (St. Louis); WDAF (Kansas City); WOW (Omaha); WOC (Davenport); WHO (Des Moines); KVOO (Tulsa); WKY (Oklahoma City); KTHS (Hot Springs); WFAA (Dallas); WBAF (Ft. Worth); KPRC (Houston); WOAI (San Antonio); KOA (Denver); KSL (Salt Lake); WLW (Cincinnati); WREN (Lawrence, Kan.); and WMC (Memphis).

Will Bring Flowers By Plane From California to The Chicago Flower Show

Over eighty garden clubs in the federation of the Garden Club of Illinois, headed by Mrs. Frederick Fisher, President, are now busily developing plans for their exhibits at the forthcoming Central States Garden and Flower Show, April 5th to 13th, 1930.

In the Garden Clubs' competitions there are many interesting, unique educational features, including an entire series of model gardens. The importance of the Chicago territory as a flower buying market is strikingly realized thru the elaborate participation of all the important growing centers in the United States. Among the outstanding attractions, located in the arena section of the huge Stadium, there will be an actual Pateo Garden brought in its entirety from California to Chicago for this event. This garden will be an exact replica of the type found in and about San Francisco, Alameda and San Leandro Counties of California, and the preparation for this exhibit is now in progress.

Mr. Charles O. Davis, of the California Flower Festival, who will sponsor this magnificent display, states this will be the most comprehensive exhibit of its kind ever presented to the public view and will be a typical representation of California as a land of sunshine and flowers. The Pateo will be a direct reproduction of a garden in San Francisco overlooking the Golden Gate with pleasing architectural effect, and the colorful background of its warm sunny colored stucco walls surround-

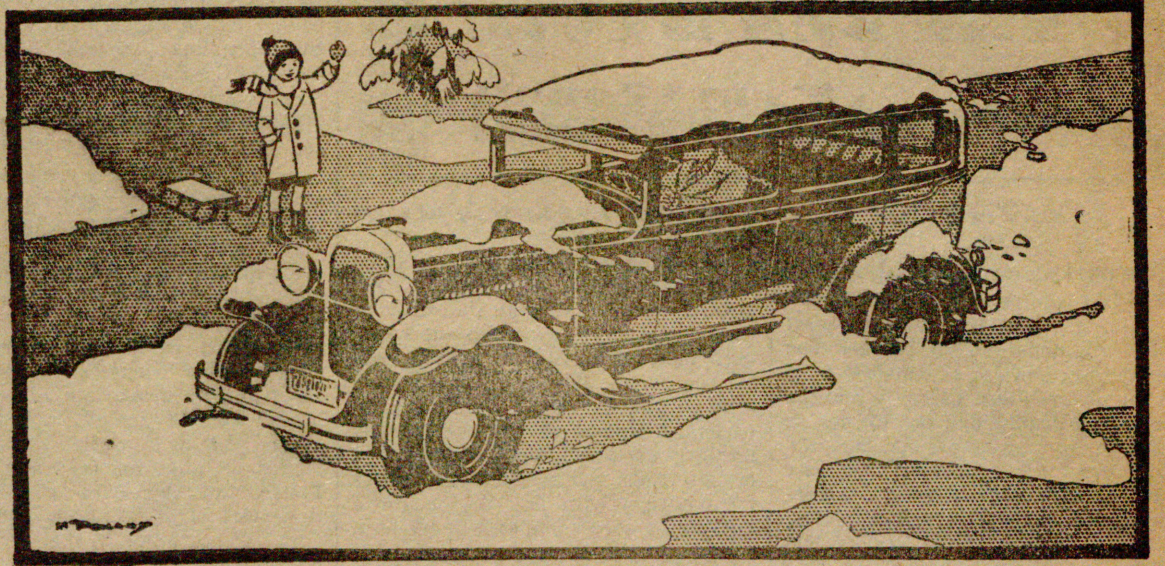
ed by an ensemble of vivid semi-tropical plants and flowers will give this setting a charm that can only be found in the atmosphere of California. The object and purpose is to show the great part California plays in the horticultural field. Several carloads of plants and flowers and material will be brought here and, in addition, a daily supply of fresh blooms by airplane for distribution to the public.

In addition to this exhibit there will be many other types of gardens on display at the Show, including unusual rock, water, formal and informal gardens. These gardens will be reproduced by leaders in their line. John Scheepers, Inc., of New York, America's leading bulb specialists, who are the most exclusive in their line will bring to Chicago a complete spring garden which will include their rarest and choicest blooms. Other exhibits in the garden section will be made by outstanding growers in the Chicago territory, and other leading centers of flower culture.

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John A. Servas, Managing Director of the Central States Garden and Flower Show, states that this will be the greatest horticultural event in the country and will prove to be one of real civic importance, owing to its educational value and resultant good to the community.

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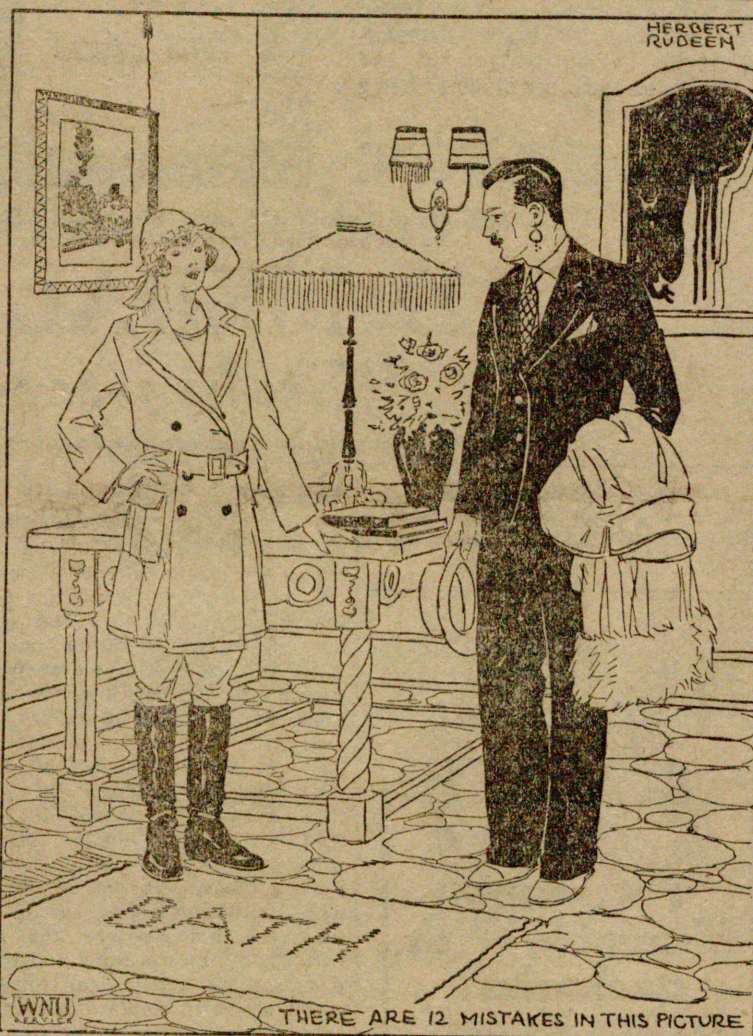
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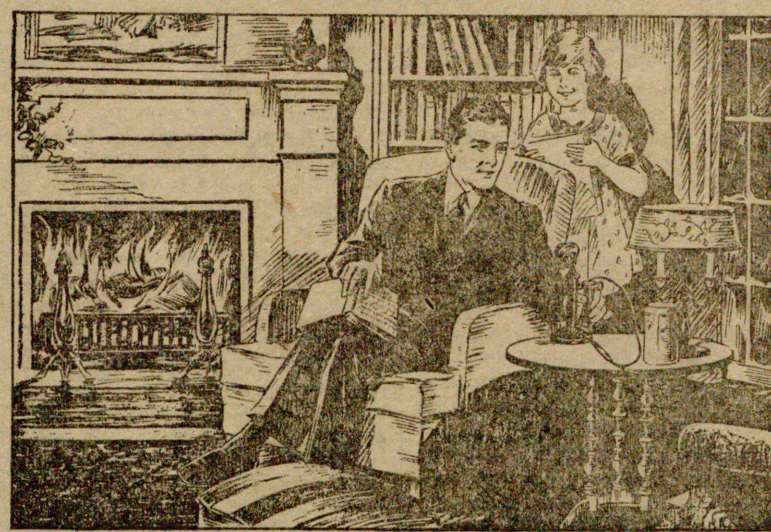
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Foresaw the Telephone

The possibility of telephone or wireless telegraph was evidently in the mind of Galileo, for in 1632 he referred to "the secret art" by which through the sympathy of magnetic needles men might converse at long distance.

Mrs. Emily Borms Dies At Peotone

Mrs. Emily Borms, widow of Conrad Borms, passed away at her home Monday evening, Jan. 13th at 6:20 after a long illness with a complication of diseases. She was 75 years, 3 months and 16 days old.

Emily Marie Carstens was born Sept. 3, 1854 at Mokena. In 1865 the family moved to Peotone being among the first settlers of the northern part of the township.

She was married to Conrad Borms Feb. 27, 1880. They settled on the farm which has been her home ever since. Mr. Borms died April 12, 1925.

Mrs. Borms leaves two sons, Engelhardt and Conrad, and four daughters, Mrs. Henry Werner, Lydia, Laura and Emily. One son predeceased the mother in death. She is survived by one brother, Louis Carstens, and a sister, Mrs. H. C. Schwiesow. There are four grandchildren.

The deceased was a woman of fine Christian character and she will be missed by a large circle of friends. She was confirmed in St. John's Evangelical church in 1868, before the church building was erected. During all of her life she took an active part in its affairs.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon. Services at St. John's church were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Oscar Luthe. Burial was in the family lot in the church yard cemetery.

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Startling Facts Exposed At Orland M. E. Program

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"The Grand Jury can investigate the contractor's bank account as well as the bank account of the head of the department under investigation or any person connected with it. It can investigate the income tax of all parties concerned. There is nothing in the conduct of the department that an alert Grand Jury cannot find out.

"Grafting in any department cannot be carried on without the collusion or sanction of the Board of County Commissioners.

"There is a wide difference between Grand Jury investigations carried on under official authority and Grand Jury investigations which may be carried on under the auspices of volunteer citizens' movements. Such movements lack the dignity of official authority and are in themselves evidence of a disorganized state of public affairs. Volunteer investigations usually fail for the lack of finances. The public becomes discouraged and the finances almost inevitably fail at the critical time.

"Officials in strategic places of power such as the Board of County Commissioners who will use the powers of their office to clean up bad conditions in local administration become a terror to grafters and grafting officials.

"The preventable burdens in local government have reached the staggering total of at least one-half billion dollars in each quadrennium. An efficient and determined Board of County Commissioners could affect a saving of most of that huge sum.

JANUARY 11, 1930.

"Referring to alleged graft in the County Board, Mr. Davis said:

"The Lewis Institute had a sixty-four acre tract in Thornton Township which they tried to sell to the County Board for \$1250 per acre for the Forest Preserve, but the County Board was not interested in purchasing it. Shortly thereafter, Thomas C. Stobbs of Harvey purchased the land from the Lewis Institute for \$1250 per acre, or a total of \$80,041. Nine weeks later, he sold the tract to the County Board or the Forest Preserve Board which is one and the same thing for \$159,750, an increase of almost \$80,000.

"On the same day, March 15, 1926, the County Board purchased for the Forest Preserve three other tracts of land thru middle men paying \$91,000 more than the middle men had paid the original owners of the land a few weeks before.

"The Citizens' Association made an investigation of some forty purchases of land for the Forest Preserve and found that they had all been bought in this same way thru middle men with a waste to the taxpayers of Cook County of at least one million, two hundred fifty thousand dollars. That concerned only forty tracts, or a total of about four thousand acres, and there are over thirty thousand acres in the Forest Preserve.

"In 1927, the Association of Commerce employed H. J. Kuelling, Highway Engineer for Wisconsin to make a survey of the road building in Cook County. He found that Cook County was paying over five thousand dollars per mile more for hard roads built in Cook County than Governor Small was building roads in Cook County under the same identical conditions. When he turned in his report he was reported to have said 'What you need is not an engineer, but a grand jury.' This interested us very much but we did not want to use the statement until we had it confirmed, so I went up to Wisconsin and talked with Mr. Kuelling. He confirmed the statement about the Grand Jury and said that he would come down to Cook County and analyze his report before the Grand Jury when the authorities were ready.

"One of the principal employees in the County Board said that in his opinion there was over four million dollars of the fifteen million dollar bond issues for hard roads which would be wasted or worse than wasted."

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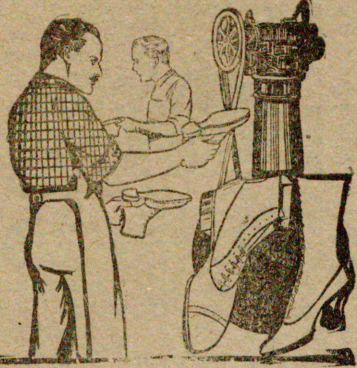
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Estate Of Enstena Strassenburg,
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The undersigned having been appointed Administrator with will annexed of the estate of Enstena Strassenburg, late of the Town of Frankfort in the County of Will and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that it will appear before the Probate Court of Will County, at the Court House in Joliet, at the March Term, on the first Monday in March next (being the 3rd day of said month), at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 6th day of January, A. D. 1930.

First National Bank of Joliet, Illinois.
Administrator, as aforesaid.

Hjalmar Rehn and
H. Howard Schlutz, Attorneys.

PROBATE NOTICE

Estate Of Julia Knapp, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Julia Knapp, late of the Village of Mokena, in the County of Will and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the Probate Court of Will County, at the Court House in Joliet, at the March Term, on the first Monday in March next (being the 3rd day of said month), at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 6th day of January, A. D. 1930.

GEORGE W. KNAPP,
Administrator, as aforesaid.

Hjalmar Rehn and
H. Howard Schlutz, Attorneys.

Wed On New

Year's Day

Miss Amelia Mueller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mueller, of Peotone, and Chester Blair, of Mokena, were married Wednesday, January 1 at five o'clock. The ceremony was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage by Dr. B. B. Evans.

The couple was attended by the groom's brother, Vitus Blair, and Miss Gladys Mueller, the bride's sister. The double ring ceremony was used.

The young couple have gone to housekeeping on a farm near Mokena. That they may enjoy a long and happy life is the wish of many of their friends. PEOTONE VEDETTE

Bird Migration

The reason why birds migrate is a mystery to biologists. They have been studying for hundreds of years to find out and are as much in the dark today as they were 200 years ago, according to Dr. Alexander Wetmore, president of the American Ornithological union.

Sure of One Thing

The sun was going down, clouds were banking up, and they had driven for miles in silence. Finally, the wife asked, "Do you know where you are, darling?" Friend husband stepped on the accelerator and replied a bit shortly: "No. If I did we wouldn't be here."

Long and Costly Work

More than 300,000 miles of spirit-level lines have been run in the United States to discover the exact elevation of ground above sea level.

FRANKFORT

The Ladies Aid Society of the Frankfort M. E. church will sponsor a bakery sale Saturday afternoon, January 18th at the Sippel store.

Mrs. Fred Kohlhausen was hostess to the Amite Sewing Club in her home last Tuesday evening. Pinochle was played and prizes went to Mrs. Edward Warning and Miss Viola Lankenau. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Charles Scheer returned to her home from the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, last Saturday following a recent operation.

Born a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schoop, January 7th at the Silver Cross hospital. Mrs. Schoop who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving. Mrs. Schoop will be remembered as Dorothyanna Koerner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Koerner.

Mrs. Fred Warning is the guest of her daughter and family in Warsaw, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kohlhausen, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kohlhausen and Walter Kohlhausen attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kohlhausen in Mokena Sunday evening.

The party given in honor of the newly wed couple, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Blair at the Frankfort hall last Saturday evening by their friends was not well attended on account of the bad weather and icy pavements.

Attorney Albert Krusemark attended a meeting of the State Lottie Holman O'Neil organization on Friday evening in Dowers Grove in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Payne, 926 Maple Avenue.

The Frankfort heavy weights basketball team was defeated by the Crete team on the latter floor on Friday evening.

Charles Kolman of Monee opened a shoe repair shop in Frank Kohlhausen's store building the past week. Raymond Smith is ill with a bad cold.

Adam Heisner has moved to the home of his sons Edward and Charles the past week. Mrs. Heisner passed away a few weeks ago.

A number of Frankfort people attended the funeral of Mrs. Conrad Borms held at Peotone last Thursday afternoon. She was a sister-in-law of Ernest Borms of Frankfort.

Mrs. William Lorenzen underwent an operation in Silver Cross hospital Tuesday morning.

Mrs. John Clark entertained the Ladies Aid Society of the Frankfort M. E. church last Thursday.

The meeting was to have been held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Bauch but on account of illness the meeting was held at Mrs. Clark's home.

Mrs. Walter Baumgartner entertained the Bridge Club in her home Wednesday evening. Prizes went to Mrs. Henry Breidert, and Mrs. Fred Heisner. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cheney attended the 14th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George Unland in Chicago Heights last Sunday. Cards were played at four tables. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Ernest Pfeiffer was in the Silver Cross hospital last Monday, for an X-ray examination.

Mrs. Paul Clark and children of Marsilles, Illinois spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Folkers.

Rev. and Mrs. Dunbar and family of Kellerville, Illinois spent a few days here with friends. Rev. Mr. Dunbar was a former pastor of the Frankfort M. E. church.

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ORLAND PARK

On account of the weather the Orland Park P. T. A. did not hold their monthly meeting Thursday evening, January 9th.

The proceeds from the novelty sale given in December amounted to \$26.02. Mrs. Cooper is very grateful to those who donated so willingly.

Four sets of electric lights and trimmings were purchased for the school Christmas tree and a check for \$10 was given to Mr. Holt to buy books for the school library.

The dance which was to be given January 17 was cancelled on account of the weather. We were very sorry to do it but those wishing to enjoy a good dance and hear "Johnnie Blue and his Shades of Blue" do not forget the next dance date, February 14.

At the Orland Park School Auditorium, Friday evening, January 24 the members of the Mokena P. T. A. will present two plays, entitled "Thursday Evening" and "Cabbage" which has been given with much success at Mokena. Music will be furnished by the "Famous Mokena Blue Bird Orchestra". Don't forget the date, January 24th.

The program committee met at the home of Mrs. Adele Cooper to prepare their program for the Feb. meeting. That being the National Parent-Teachers Association's thirty-third birthday and Orland P. T. A. second. A special program is being prepared.

The executive board will meet in February to select a nominating committee who will prepare a list of new officers.

Milk Price for Jan.

The price of basic milk for January will be \$2.66 net for 3.5 milk, f. o. b. country plants and platforms within the 70 mile zone according to the Pure Milk Association. One cent off for each 10 miles to 100 and one cent off for each 15 miles over 100. Four cents per point up or down for fat differential. Can price \$1.85 f. o. b., country.

Basic milk will be 100 per cent of the average production for September, October and November. Surplus will be milk produced and delivered in excess of basic amount. The price of surplus for January will be determined by the following formula: 3 1/2 times 92 score Chicago butter, plus 20 per cent. No deductions for the surplus price for zones. Butter .3932c. Surplus milk \$1.65.

Buyers will pay 1c per cwt. to the Association for all milk in addition to the above prices.

New shippers admitted in the market will receive the base price for half of their milk and the surplus price for the other half.

WE'LL TUNE IN!



For the first two-hour program ever broadcast over the radio, William Spier, music critic, was sent to Europe to make electrical transcriptions of famous bands, orchestras, typical ensembles and choruses of nine nations. The result, assembled with program notes and introductions by Deems Taylor, one of America's famous composers and critic, will be sent out over 38 American radio stations on Thanksgiving Day by the General Baking Company as the tenth anniversary Bond Bakers' Birthday Broadcast. John Philip Sousa and his famous band will play the American finale. (Herbert Photos, N. Y.)

First Formal Republic

On January 14, 1639, occurred the adoption of the first written constitution known to the history of the world. This event took place at Hartford, Conn., and was the first formal republic made up of people of three early towns in the valley.

Genius Budded Early

Douglas Jerrold achieved success on the stage with a farce written when he was fourteen, and William Henry Ireland produced his famous Shakespeare forgeries, and for a time deceived the most learned men in the country, when he was only seventeen.

Lighthouse Illumination

Most of the American lighthouses guarding ships against coastal rocks have now run the complete gamut of lighting in the last 200 years. They began with fish oil and then proceeded through sperm oil, rapeseed or colza oil, lard oil, vaporized kerosene with incandescent mantles and finally electricity upon which main dependence is put nowadays.

We're Literary All Right

The highbrow that argues that we are not a literary people any more should have seen that fat girl lying right smack on her tummy on a bench in the Pennsylvania station the other night reading a vivid magazine. Guess he'd take back them cruel words!—Wilmington News-Journal.

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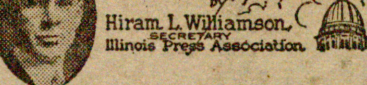
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STATE CAPITOL NEWS



Hiram L. Williamson, Secretary Illinois Trade Association

In a New Year's statement, Gov. Louis L. Emmerson declared that Illinois enters the year with confidence based upon the knowledge that most of its industries are on a sound basis, its bank reserves sufficient for orderly development, and its people thrifty and capable.

The governor reviewed progress in various departments. During the past year 624 miles of pavement, 145 miles of heavy grading, and 171 bridges have been completed on bond issue roads, bringing the total of hard surfaced roads to 8,876 miles, leaving approximately 3,000 miles to be completed. Progress in 1930, the governor indicated, will depend largely on the gas tax. If upheld by the courts, about \$25,000,000 will be available for road construction. Plans are completed for 425 miles of unfinished roads, and 1,125 additional miles have been surveyed.

Hope was expressed that during 1930, with co-operation of President Hoover and Secretary of War Hurley, the way will be definitely opened for completion of the Illinois waterway. The biggest building program in the history of the state's welfare institutions is under way, said the governor, and will be prosecuted vigorously in order to relieve badly congested conditions. For this purpose \$10,000,000 has been appropriated.

Reform in the state's outgrown taxation system was recommended, and the hope expressed that definite progress would be made during the year. Action will be favored under the new law which directs that amendments be printed on the body of the main ballot, thus attracting attention of voters. State buildings in Springfield will be enlarged to provide needed space during the year, and the state parks system will be extended to make them available to more people.

Highway traffic will be served by an enlarged corps of state police and by competent state inspection of oil and gasoline.

The last year has been one of progress, said the governor, and state officials enter the new year determined to do everything possible to promote the best interests of the people of the state.

Nearly 1,400 persons attended the New Year reception at the executive mansion, given on the afternoon of January 1 by Gov. and Mrs. Louis L. Emmerson. The University of Illinois Glee club, under direction of Ray Dvorak, presented an hour's program of enjoyable music during the afternoon. Receiving with the Governor and Mrs. Emmerson were: Secretary of State and Mrs. William J. Stratton, State Superintendent of Public Instruction and Mrs. Francis G. Blair, Auditor and Mrs. Oscar Nelson, Attorney General and Mrs. Oscar E. Carlstrom, Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Fred E. Sterling, State Treasurer and Mrs. Omer N. Custer, Congressman and Mrs. Richard Yates, and Speaker David E. Shanahan. The guests were presented by Adjutant General Carlos E. Black and his staff.

Through farmer-controlled agencies, more than \$75,000,000 worth of Illinois farm products were marketed during 1929, it is announced by the Illinois Agricultural association. More than half of the products thus sold consisted of live stock, marketed through the Producers' Commission associations in Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis. Sales of cattle alone amounted to \$40,000,000. About \$35,000,000 worth of whole milk and table cream were thus marketed through agencies in Chicago, St. Louis, Rockford, Peoria, Waukegan, Bloomington, Champaign, LaSalle, Peru, Pontiac, DeKalb, and lesser markets. About \$2,000,000 worth of butterfat was sold through cream pools, and another million and half worth of cream was made into butter by co-operatives. Co-operative selling of grain had not reached the point in Illinois where it was specially notable, according to the report.

The Lincoln Memorial commission, authorized by the last legislature, to recommend a plan for locating and building a memorial to Abraham Lincoln, will hold its first meeting January 21, at the offices of Governor Emmerson. The memorial is to be a tribute not only from the people of Illinois, but will be adequate for all people for all time, in design, construction and beauty. The commission consists of five senators, five representatives and 11 other citizens, appointed respectively by the governor, lieutenant governor and speaker of the house. The members include Logan Hay, president of the Abraham Lincoln association, and Representative Homer J. Tice, of Greenville, who introduced the original resolution in the house.

In an address before Illinois state's attorneys, in session at Chicago, a new parole system whereby ex-convicts may have some incentive for good behavior after release from prison, was outlined by Ward E. Thompson of Rockford. Any man paroled for four years, by excellent conduct the first year would remove the fourth year from his term, and by equally acceptable conduct the second year would remove the third year and terminate his parole period. Gunmen, however, would not be eligible to consideration, it was declared.

According to figures prepared by the automobile department of Secretary of State William J. Stratton's office, the total registration of pleasure cars and trucks in 1929 was 1,615,057, an increase over the preceding year of 110,698 cars. Total fees collected, \$17,086,547, represents an increase of about a million and a half. Secretary Stratton is looking for a greater increase in cars and fees in 1930, as there is no indication that the saturation point is being approached. More cars mean more traffic, and Secretary Stratton is using every possible opportunity to call attention of drivers to the rules for safety. All records were broken when 141,224 new automobile license plates were sold between November 15 and December 31, nearly 12,000 more than during the same period of the preceding year. Much of the increase is a direct result of the passage by the last general assembly of a bill designed to compel truck owners to pay the proper license fees, according to weight and class of their vehicles. It is expected that plates for 1,500,000 vehicles will be distributed this year.

A state income tax for exclusive use of public schools, and increase in the state school distributive fund of \$2,000,000 each session of the general assembly until it eventually provides 25 per cent of the total cost of the schools of the state, or \$35,000,000 annually, were leading demands of the State Teachers' association, as expressed in resolutions adopted at its recent meeting in Springfield. The resolutions also favored legislation to permit junior high schools to be established and administered either by high school districts or by elementary school districts, by joint agreement, confirmed by referendum vote. The teachers favor a department of education, with a secretary in the president's cabinet; a program of instruction for the inculcation of respect for law and order; the government's efforts for world peace; Governor Emmerson's plan to secure revision of the state's antiquated tax laws.

Crop production in Illinois during the past year, as announced by the federal department of agriculture, giving the rank of the state and its total production, is as follows: Corn, second, with 311,500 bushels; wheat, eighth, with 36,537 bushels; oats, third, with 141,738 bushels; barley, tenth, with 12,084 bushels. Acreage sowed to winter wheat and winter rye in Illinois is five per cent less in each case, due chiefly to delayed operations caused by dry soil during the late summer and early fall, especially of the central and northern sections of the state. According to reports to the state department of agriculture, there is general improvement in the horse and mule breeding business in Illinois, the decline in licensed breeding stock having reached its lowest ebb and an upward trend having replaced it.

Under the amended primary law, petitions may be filed with the secretary of state not more than 65 days nor less than 50 days prior to the date of the primary, April 8 next. The maximum limit falls on Sunday, and Attorney General Carlstrom has ruled that petitions may be filed on the preceding Saturday, February 1. This ruling has been accepted by the secretary of state's office.

Another ruling of the attorney general is that money from the sale of a confiscated vehicle used for illegal transportation of liquor should be collected by the state's attorney and paid directly into the county treasury, to become part of the state's attorney's fund. The prosecutor should be allowed a fee of 10 per cent of the sale money, and if the proceedings require his attendance in court, an additional per day fee, as provided by law.

Due to flooding of some mines and to temporary suspension of others by strikes, the Illinois coal output has recently been curtailed somewhat yet production in November was 5,500,000 tons, and during the week ended December 7 was 1,653,000 tons, according to figures of the United States bureau of mines at Washington.

The chamber of commerce at Metropolis and the state chamber of commerce investigated Rev. Pierre Simons of the "Assyrian national refugee committee," and found him to be an impostor and a member of an organized band of beggars, according to a bulletin of the state chamber, which recommends great care in investigating solicitations of this kind.

The Illinois State Historical society has made an appeal to its members and others interested in the history of the state, for all objects that by most liberal construction can illustrate the early settlement, progress, or present conditions of Illinois. Everything relating to the state during any period of its development, will be welcomed by the State Historical society, for addition to the State Historical library, Miss Georgia L. Osborne, secretary of the society, has announced.

Rodney H. Brandon, director of the state department of public welfare, announces that approximately 100 alien convicts, who have served their minimum sentences in penal institutions of Illinois, have been deported within the past year. The plan was adopted to curtail the population of prisons and to rid Illinois and other states of these undesirable. There are 700 convicts of this type in Illinois prisons, according to Director Brandon, who indicates that many more will be deported if the conditions warrant after searching investigations.

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Sunday School Lesson

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Lesson for January 19

JESUS BEGINS HIS MINISTRY

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 4:12-25.
GOLDEN TEXT—Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Chooses Some Helpers.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Begins His Ministry.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Jesus Began His Ministry.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Comprehensive Program of Jesus.

Jesus began His official work as Messiah at Jerusalem where He presented Himself to the men of the Jewish nation.

I. The King His Own Herald (vv. 12-17).

1. The reason for this (v. 12).

The news of the imprisonment of John the Baptist caused Jesus to forsake Judea and go into Galilee. The fate of John was accepted as foreshadowing His own. The rejection of the forerunner meant the rejection of the King, whose advent He proclaimed. Because of this He withdrew from the metropolis and went to the remote regions where His work would attract less attention.

2. To whom the proclamation was made (vv. 13-16).

It was to the people at Capernaum in fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecy (9:1, 2). These people were not blessed with such privileges as those in and around Jerusalem. Thus we see that the darkest and most corrupt of the provinces was getting the light first. In this we see a foreshadowing of the present age, when the gospel of the grace of God is being preached to the Gentiles.

3. His message (v. 17).

"Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." This is the same kingdom which John the Baptist and the Old Testament prophets proclaimed. It means the Messianic earth rule of Jesus Christ. It is for this we pray when we intelligently say, "Thy kingdom come." At that time the light will break forth which shall illumine the whole earth.

II. The King Calling to Himself Assistants (vv. 18-22).

1. His command of authority (vv. 18, 19).
He did not endeavor to persuade them, and He did not use arguments but issued the mandate. To command is the King's prerogative—not to argue or entreat.

2. The station of the servants called (vv. 18, 21).

They were men of lowly birth and occupation—fishermen. God chooses the foolish things of this world to confound the wise and the weak things to confound the things which are mighty (1 Cor. 1:26).

3. They were called to definite service (v. 19).

"I will make you fishers of men." He had previously called them to be disciples (John 1:36-42). He now called them to service. This call therefore was not the gospel call to sinners which is "believe on me," but the call to service of those who have already heeded His call to discipleship. The qualities which made for good fishers—patience, bravery to face the storm and the night, the perseverance which toiled all night though no fish were caught—would make for good fishers of men.

4. Their prompt obedience (vv. 20, 22).

They put their trust in Him who called, believing that He was able to supply their needs. There is no time for delay when the King commands.

III. The King's Triumphant Progress (vv. 23-25).

He went the whole round of Galilee, teaching the Scriptures, preaching the Gospel of the Kingdom, and healing all manner of diseases. He did a three-fold work:

1. Teaching the Scriptures in the synagogues (v. 23).

The revelation of God needed to be explained. This is what He was doing in Nazareth (Luke 4:16-22). Such is the primary business of every minister.

2. Preaching the glad tidings of the kingdom (v. 23).

The King who was present and was heralding His own mission, was ready to establish His kingdom if they would have been willing to receive Him.

3. Healing all manner of diseases (vv. 23-25).

"His fame went throughout all Syria, and they brought unto Him all sick people that were taken with divers diseases and torments, and those which were possessed with devils, and those which were lunatic, and those that had the palsy; and He healed them."

What God Has to Tell Us

If we think no more of ourselves than we ought to think, if we seek not our own but others' welfare, if we are prepared to take all things as God's dealings with us, then we may have a chance of catching from time to time what God has to tell us.

Paying Toll to the Devil

He who does evil that good may come pays a toll to the devil to let him into heaven.—J. C. and A. W. Hare.

LEADING RADIO PROGRAMS

(Time given is Eastern Standard; subtract one hour for Central and two hours for Mountain time.)

N. B. C. RED NETWORK—January 19.
7:00 p. m. Chicago Symphony.
7:00 p. m. Heroes of the World.
8:30 p. m. Maj. Bowser.
8:30 p. m. Chase & Sanborn.
9:00 p. m. David Lawrence.
9:15 p. m. Atwater Kent.
10:15 p. m. Studebaker Champions.

N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK
1:00 p. m. The Pilgrims.
2:00 p. m. Roxy Stroll.
2:00 p. m. Duo Disc Duo.
7:30 p. m. At the Baldwin.
8:00 p. m. Enna Jettick Melodies.
8:15 p. m. Collier's.
9:45 p. m. Fuller Man.

COLUMBIA SYSTEM
9:00 a. m. Morning Musicals.
10:00 a. m. Children's Hour.
1:30 p. m. The Actors.
3:00 p. m. Symphonic Hour.
5:00 p. m. McKesson News Reel of Air.
5:30 p. m. Sermon by Rev. Barnhouse.
7:00 p. m. Our Romantic Ancestors.
8:30 p. m. Sonatron Program.
9:00 p. m. Majestic Theater of the Air.
10:00 p. m. Jesse Crawford.
11:00 p. m. Back Home Hour.
12:01 a. m. Coral Islanders.
12:30 a. m. Midnight Melodies.

N. B. C. RED NETWORK—January 20.
10:30 a. m. Doctor Goodies.
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
8:00 p. m. Voice of Firestone.
8:30 p. m. A. & P. Gypsies.
9:30 p. m. General Motors.
10:00 p. m. Whittall Anglo Persians.

N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK
9:00 a. m. Aunt Jemima.
1:00 p. m. National Farm, Home Hour.
7:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:30 p. m. Roxy and His Gang.
8:30 p. m. Ipsa Troubadours.
9:00 p. m. Edison Records.
9:30 p. m. Real Folks.
10:00 p. m. Stromberg Carlson.
10:30 p. m. Empire Builders.

COLUMBIA SYSTEM
8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
11:00 a. m. The Child's Corner.
12:00 Noon Columbia Revue.
1:30 p. m. Harold Stern and Orch.
2:00 p. m. Patterns in Prints.
3:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
5:30 p. m. Closing Market Prices.
5:45 p. m. Browning Among Books.
7:30 p. m. Purities Bakeries Program.
8:00 p. m. Coco Couriers.
9:00 p. m. Physical Culture Magazine.
9:30 p. m. "An Evening in Paris."
10:30 p. m. Voice of Columbia.
11:30 p. m. Paul Specht's Orchestra.
12:01 a. m. Abe Lyman's Orchestra.
12:30 a. m. Midnight Melodies.

N. B. C. RED NETWORK—January 21.
10:30 a. m. National Home Hour.
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
4:30 p. m. Auction Bridge Game.
7:30 p. m. Soconyland Sketches.
8:00 p. m. Chequett Club.
11:00 p. m. Radio Keith Orpheum.

N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK
9:00 a. m. Aunt Jemima.
1:00 p. m. Forecast School of Cookery.
1:00 p. m. National Farm, Home Hour.
7:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:00 p. m. Pure Oil Band.
8:30 p. m. Around World with Libby.
9:00 p. m. College Drug Store.
9:30 p. m. Dutch Masters Minstrels.
10:00 p. m. Williams Oil-O-Matics.

COLUMBIA SYSTEM
8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
12:00 Noon Columbia Revue.
3:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
4:00 p. m. Columbia Symphony Orch.
5:00 p. m. Rhythm Kings.
5:30 p. m. Ambassador Tea Dance.
6:30 p. m. Alice Foote MacDougall.
7:00 p. m. Carburandum Hour.
8:30 p. m. True Romances.
9:00 p. m. Old Gold-Paul Whiteman.
10:30 p. m. Night Club Romances.
11:30 p. m. Hotel Paramount Orch.
12:01 a. m. Lombardo, Royal Canadians.
12:30 a. m. Midnight Melodies.

N. B. C. RED NETWORK—January 22.
10:15 a. m. National Home Hour.
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
8:00 p. m. Mobbed.
9:00 p. m. Halsey Stuart.
9:30 p. m. Palmolive Hour.
10:30 p. m. Headline Huntin'.

N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK
9:00 a. m. Aunt Jemima.
10:30 a. m. Mary Hale Martin.
11:00 a. m. Forecast School of Cookery.
1:00 p. m. National Farm, Home Hour.
7:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:30 p. m. Westinghouse Salute.
8:00 p. m. Yeast Pioneers.
8:30 p. m. Sylvania Foresters.
9:00 p. m. Real Folks.

COLUMBIA SYSTEM
8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
12:00 Noon Columbia Revue.
3:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
4:00 p. m. Musical Album.
5:15 p. m. Twilight Troubadours.
6:00 p. m. Closing Market Prices.
6:30 p. m. Lombardo, Royal Canadians.
8:00 p. m. Grand Opera Concert.
10:30 p. m. Kolster Radio Hour.
10:30 p. m. In a Russian Village.
11:30 p. m. Hank Simmon's Show Boat.
12:30 a. m. Midnight Melodies.

N. B. C. RED NETWORK—January 23.
10:30 a. m. National Home Hour.
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
8:00 p. m. Radio Keith Orpheum.
7:30 p. m. Coward Comfort Hour.
8:00 p. m. Fleischman Sunshine Hour.
9:00 p. m. Seiberling Singers.
9:30 p. m. National Sugar Refining Co.
10:00 p. m. Radio Victor Program.

N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK
9:00 a. m. Aunt Jemima.
10:45 a. m. Barbara Gold.
11:00 a. m. Forecast School of Cookery.
1:00 p. m. National Farm, Home Hour.
7:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
8:30 p. m. Champion Sparkers.
9:00 p. m. Smith Brothers.
10:00 p. m. Atwater Kent.

COLUMBIA SYSTEM
8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
11:30 a. m. Du Barry Beauty Talk.
11:45 a. m. Columbia Noon Day Club.
1:30 p. m. Harold Stern and Orch.
3:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
5:00 p. m. Dr. Hodgson's Health Talk.
6:00 p. m. Columbia Symphony Orch.
7:00 p. m. Paul Specht's Orchestra.
8:15 p. m. Politics in Washington.
9:00 p. m. True Detective Mysteries.
10:30 p. m. National Forum from Wash.
11:00 p. m. Dream Boat.
12:01 a. m. Lombardo, Royal Canadians.
12:30 a. m. Midnight Melodies.

N. B. C. RED NETWORK—January 24.
10:45 a. m. National Home Hour.
9:00 p. m. An Evening in Paris.
9:00 p. m. Planters Peanuts.

N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK
1:00 p. m. National Farm, Home Hour.
7:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
7:30 p. m. Dixie Circus.
8:45 p. m. Craddock Terry.
9:00 p. m. Interwoven Pair.
10:30 p. m. Armour Hour.

COLUMBIA SYSTEM
8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
9:30 a. m. Morning on Broadway.
10:00 a. m. Ida Bailey Allen.
11:00 a. m. Nell Vinick.
11:30 a. m. The Week-Enders.
12:15 p. m. Columbia Salon Orchestra.
1:30 p. m. Savoy Plaza Orchestra.
2:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
5:00 p. m. Dr. Clark—French Lessons.
5:15 p. m. Ambassador Tea Dance.
6:15 p. m. Closing Market Prices.
6:30 p. m. Paul Specht's Orchestra.
9:00 p. m. True Story Hour.
11:00 p. m. Jan Garber's Orchestra.
12:30 a. m. Midnight Melodies.

N. B. C. RED NETWORK—January 25.
11:15 a. m. Radio Household Institute.
7:30 p. m. New Business World.
7:30 p. m. Skellodians.
8:30 p. m. Lauderdale Lyrics.
9:00 p. m. General Electric.
10:00 p. m. Lucky Strike.

N. B. C. BLUE NETWORK
9:00 a. m. Aunt Jemima.
1:00 p. m. National Farm, Home Hour.
6:30 p. m. Gold Spot Fats.
7:00 p. m. Pepsodent—Amos 'n' Andy.
COLUMBIA SYSTEM
8:30 a. m. Morning Devotions.
12:00 a. m. Adventures of Helen, Mary.
12:00 Noon Columbia Noon Day Club.
1:30 p. m. Tucker, Barclay Orchestra.
3:00 p. m. Columbia Ensemble.
5:00 p. m. Club Plaza Orchestra.
6:00 p. m. Abe Lyman's Orchestra.
6:30 p. m. Nit Wit Hour.
7:00 p. m. Levittow and Ensemble.
8:00 p. m. Lombardo, Royal Canadians.
12:00 p. m. Babson Finance Club.
10:00 p. m. Paramount-Public Hour.
10:30 p. m. Lombardo, Royal Canadians.
12:30 a. m. Midnight Melodies.
8:30 p. m. Dixie Echoes.

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He Was There

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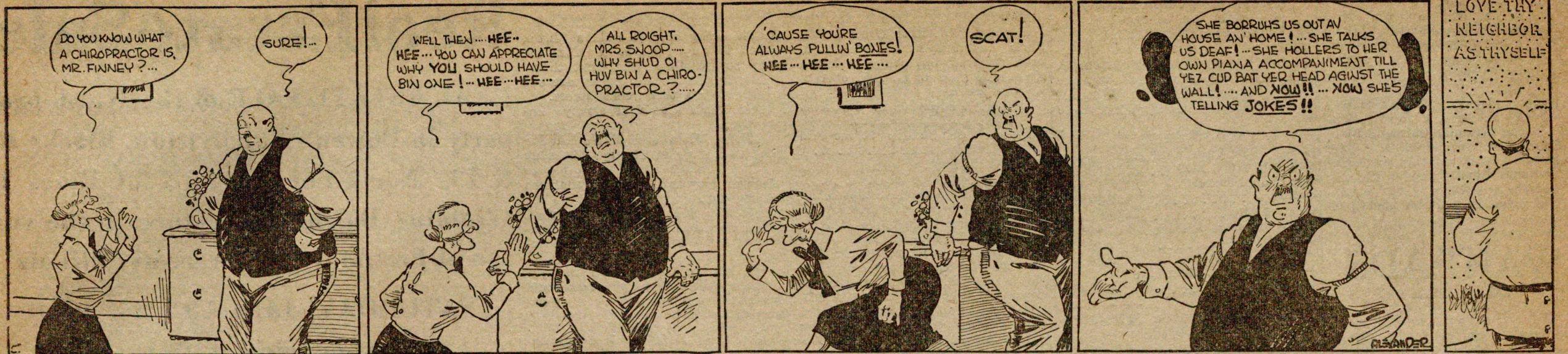


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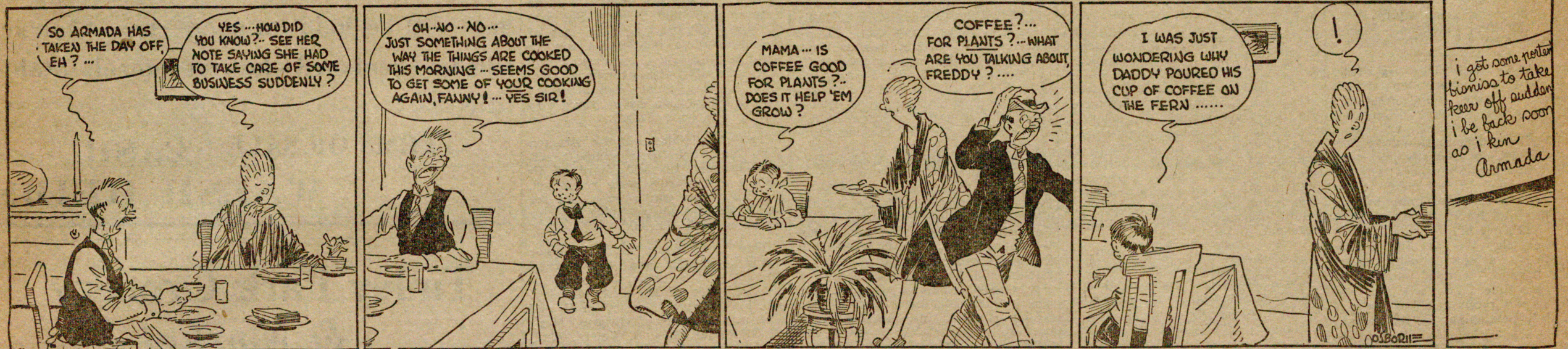
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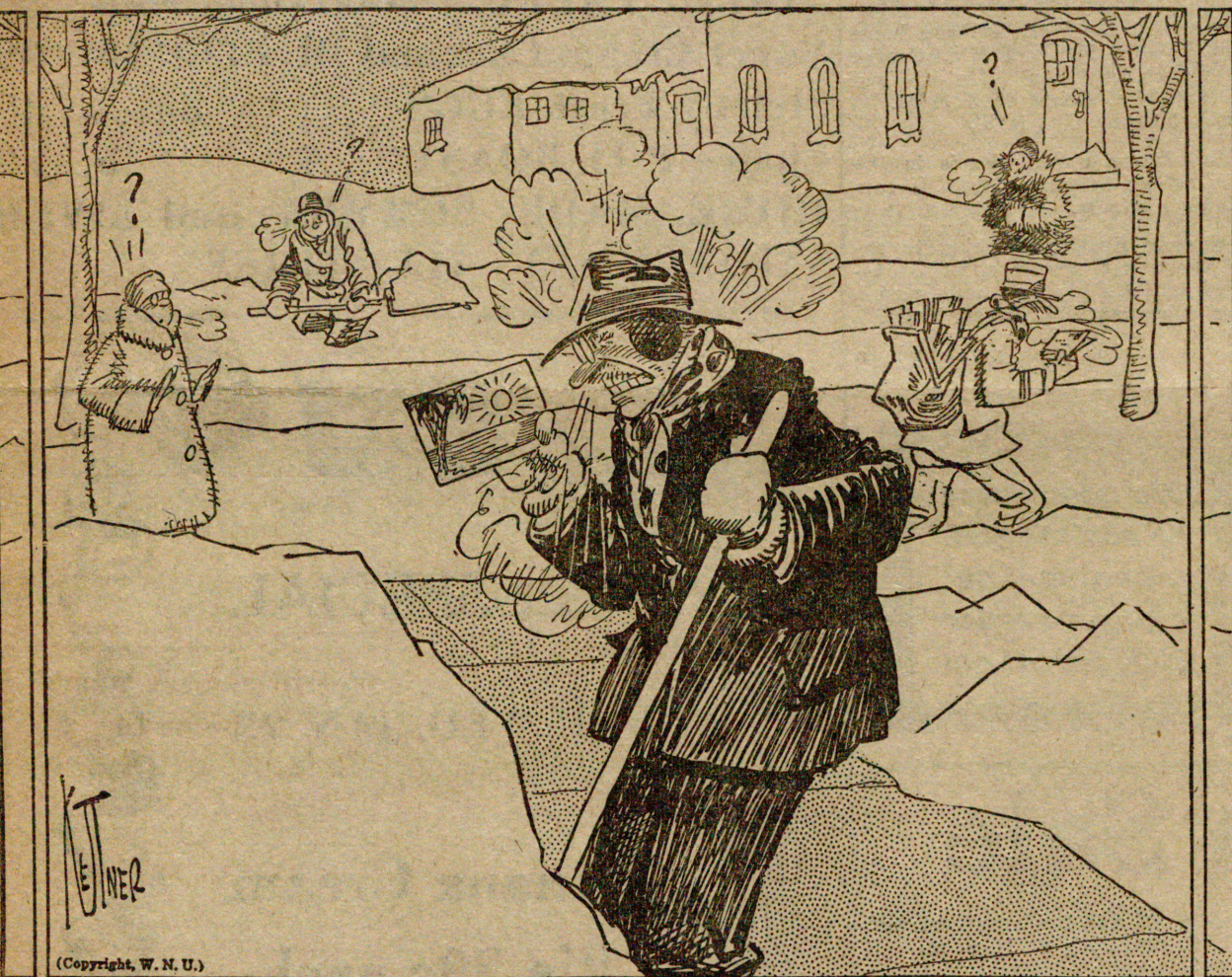


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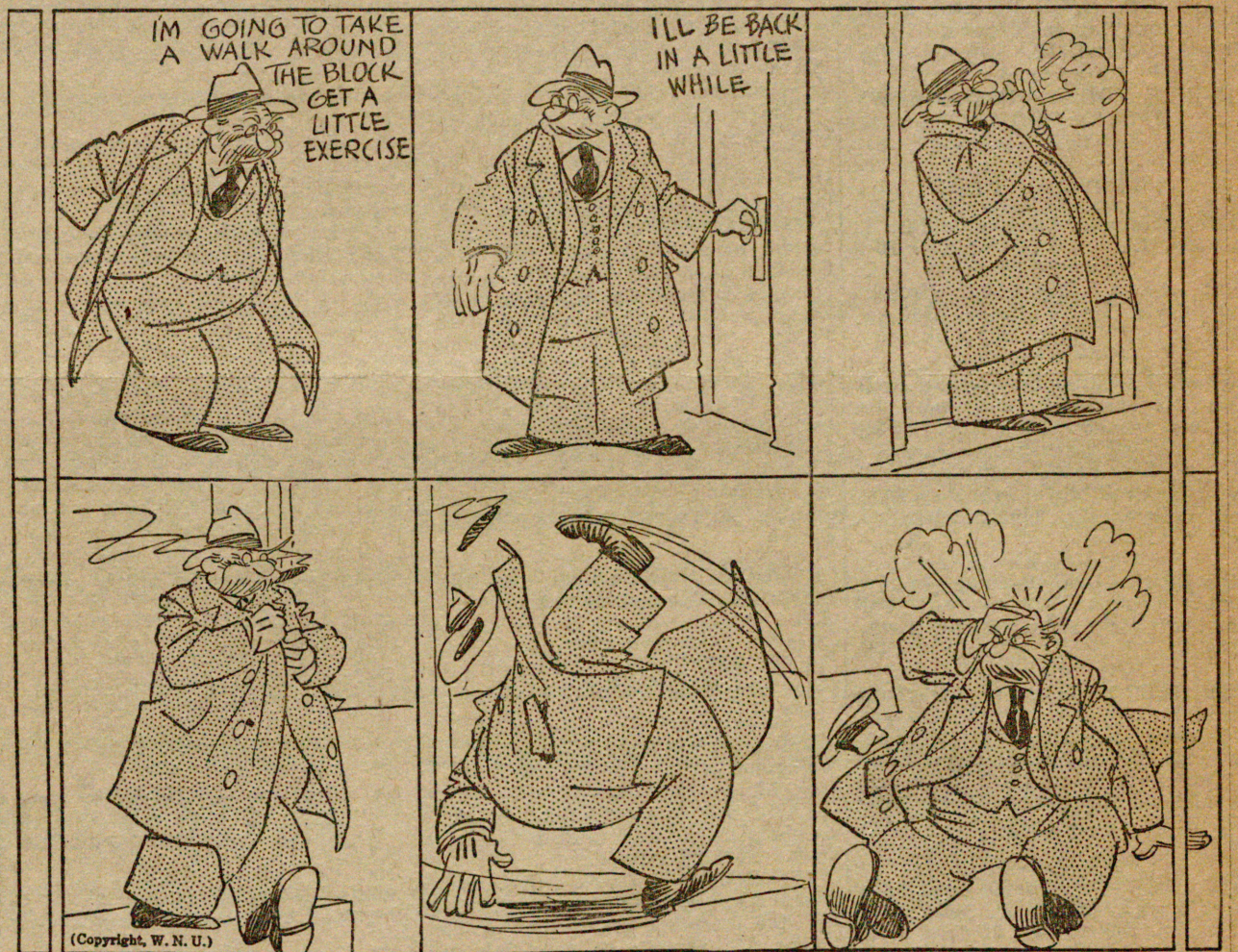
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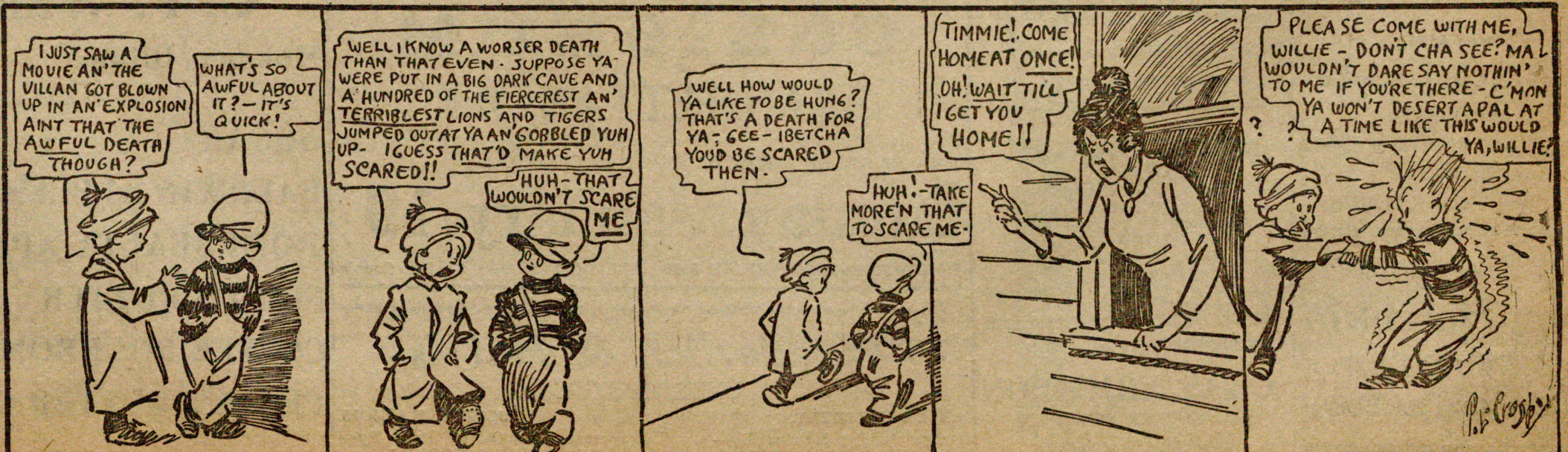


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WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Silo feed, will deliver. Elmer Woodcock, Frankfort, Illinois. Call 80-J-1 2tp

FOR SALE—Yearling Hens and Pullets, S. C. Rhode Island Reds and Buff Orpingtons, some laying. Ernest Monson, Mokena, Illinois. Telephone 55-R-2

FOR SALE—Bath Tub practically new. 30 foot Machine Shaft with 7 pulleys. J. Nasoe, 162nd street and Wolf Road, Orland Park, Illinois. p

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FOUND thin Hereford Cow on my premises Friday morning, January 10, 1930. John J. Meier, 135th st.

WILL SUB-LEASE My lease on the Knapp dwelling in Mokena. C. J. Sippel, Mokena, Ill. 2tp

INSURE TODAY—TOMORROW MAY BE TOO LATE! —Real Estate—

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FOR SALE—Fresh cow with calf by side. Gust Meyer, Cicero Ave., and Vollmer Rd. Tinley Park, Ill. Tel. 27 W2 2tp

FOR SALE—Laun Carbide plant; a double machine; \$15 takes it. Call on Carl Habenicht, Tinley Park, Illinois. 2tc

FOR SALE—25 head of good young broke horses ages from 3 to 8 yrs. old, some matched teams; all horses must be as represented. These horses can be seen 1 1-2 miles west of Mokena. Northwest Horse Sales Co., H. F. Yunker, mgr. Tel. 52W1 5tc

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BANK REPORT

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)
Report of the condition of
THE CITIZENS' BANK

located at Frankfort, State of Illinois, at the close of business on the 31st day of December 1929 as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES

Cash, Other Cash Resources and Due from Banks... \$ 30,357.01
Loans on Collateral... 19,328.00
Other Loans... 159,631.06
Loans on Real Estate... 77,798.84
Overdrafts... 129.08
Other Real Estate... 5,200.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures... 2,000.00

Total Resources \$294,443.99

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock... \$ 30,000.00
Surplus... 30,000.00
Undivided Profits (Net)... 4,857.17
Reserve Accounts... 14,500.00
Demand Deposits... 61,978.15
Time Deposits... 124,672.49
Bills Payable... 13,000.00
Dividends Unpaid... 3,000.00
Other Liabilities... 12,436.18

Total Liabilities \$294,443.99

I F. L. Hasenjaeger, Cashier of the Citizens Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the items and amounts shown above correspond with the items and amounts shown in the report made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

F. L. Hasenjaeger,

Cashier

State of Illinois, County of Will, ss
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of January 1930.

Harold C. Folkers

(Seal) Notary Public

MOKENA

MOKENA M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Harold Sandall, Pastor

Church School 10:30 a. m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.

The Church School attendance is holding well above the average for last quarter, so far this year. It is an indication that more folks are working for perfect attendance. Give them your support.

The Ladies Aid are giving an Oyster supper and program in the church on Friday evening, Jan. 24.

Saturday night in the school auditorium at 8 o'clock there will be a double header basketball game. The Mokena Methodist light weights and heavy weights will play the Oak Forest Community Methodist light weights and heavy weights, respectively. Come and watch the boys play. Don't forget the date and time. Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

Dramatic Club play practice Thursday evening at seven o'clock at Sorenson's. And again Saturday evening at seven o'clock in the church.

"Making Religion Real" is the subject for Sunday evening's discussion.

ST. JOHN EVAN. CHURCH

Rev. G. G. Bratzel, pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship 10:30 a. m.

Regular services on Sunday, Jan. 19, 1930, in English.

There will be installation of the members of the new Church Council at the morning service.

The Modern Dramatic Club will give a play, entitled "Tommy", under the auspices of the St. John's Ladies Aid society in the Mokena school auditorium on Wednesday evening, January 22nd. Everybody is invited to attend.

C. Sippel is still critically ill at the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet.

Edward Hirsch who recently underwent an appendicitis operation at the Blue Island hospital is slightly improved. Two nurses are caring for him. He has been critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schmuhl of Joliet have motored to St. Petersburg, Florida.

The bakery sale held last Saturday by the Camp Fire Girls at O. E. McGovney's real estate office was a success. The bakery goods were sold quickly. \$11 were realized from the sale.

Mrs. George Rinke entertained the Larkin club last Friday.

Dr. R. E. Benedict

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Tinley Park Town Topics

A poem "The Rose Garden Sleigh Party" by Mrs. H. D. Robbins has been received, but owing to lack of space will have to be held over until next week.

TINLEY PARK M. E. CHURCH
G. C. Dude, Pastor

Services on Sunday at the usual hours. Church school at 10 a. m. C. L. Gardner, Supt.

Morning worship at 11 a. m. At the close of the services the Official Board will meet, all members of this board are urged to be present.

Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock there will be a meeting for those who are interested in the organization of a choir. If you would like to sing in this choir be present Sunday afternoon.

We welcome you to these services. The Ladies Aid of the Zion Lutheran church will give a bunco party in the Community Hall, on Wednesday evening, January 29, commencing at 8 o'clock.

TINLEY PARK LEGION NEWS

On Christmas Day our Service officer, Ray Brennan, and a committee of Tinley legionnaires drove out to the Convalescent Camp at Orland with a Christmas box, a gift from the Post and our good friend, Mrs. Dini donated a large bundle of magazines for our disabled "buddies" who are patients at the camp.

Our Post now has 37 members and we are not satisfied yet, our aim is to get every eligible man in Tinley Park and vicinity in the Legion. On Wednesday evening, January 8 the Commander and Vice-Commander Geo. Rowden attended a meeting of the American Legion Cook County Council and were presented with a Distinguished Service Citation for having obtained the quota in membership assigned to us. There are 172 Posts in Cook County and up to the present time only three have made their quota, Tinley Park Post, Forest Park Post and Furniture Mart Post of Chicago. The next regular meeting of the Post will be held on Monday evening, January 20th at 8 p. m. at the Community Hall. All ex-service men are cordially invited to this meeting. We feel sure that if we can greet you at one of our meetings you will not hesitate to join our organization.

A public bunco will be given by the Zion Lutheran church in the Community Hall, Jan. 29. Everyone welcome.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klepper is much improved after a long illness.

Mrs. Elhers who was taken to the Blue Island hospital January 2nd is improving and was brought home this week.

The six bowling teams started to Homewood Thursday night in the snow storm, as this was the regular night for bowling. The men all had shovels and rode in the back end of Dini's truck, but after being about 25 minutes on the way, they were forced to return back and all were glad to get back. However, all the bowlers went over to Homewood on Sunday afternoon and quite a few of the wives went along. The teams did some very good scoring.

Mrs. Kate Hopmann is much im-

proved being able to walk a little, which is very remarkable after the very severe illness she went thru.

Edward Henke and family are out again after a two weeks illness.

Mrs. Clara Goessel is slowly improving.

Misses Viola and Mable Wilke took in a show in Chicago Thursday Mary Ensinga took her mother to Chicago Hospital in an ambulance on Monday.

Recently Miss Dorothy Campbell ran a needle in her foot. The needle was removed soon after. The injured foot is healing nicely.

We hear it is quite cold out in Arizona where Peter Parenti and his mother are staying. Peter is improving.

Mrs. Chas. D. Miller is slowly improving after her long illness.

John and Christ Andres and Mrs. Elizabeth Hardinger went to Blue Island Wednesday to attend the funeral of their aunt Mrs. Christina Keuster who died Sunday. She was 86 years old. She was the last of the old Andres family and was a sister of the late C. Andres.

A pair of ladies overshoes was found in the Saenger hall after the dance. Owner can have same by calling telephone 58-R

The stockholders of the Bremen State bank held their annual meeting Saturday. The old board of directors and officers were re-elected. The past year was a good one for the bank and all are pleased with their dividend checks.

Mrs. Anna Pigors entertained her seven daughters and two grand daughters at a turkey dinner Sunday in honor of her 74th birthday. The guests were: Mrs. B. Smith and Mrs. J. G. Reiber of Chicago, Mrs. E. G. Reiber, Mrs. B. Veleta, Mrs. H. Klepper, Mrs. A. Boerner of Tinley Park, Mrs. L. J. Kennedy of Green River, Ill., Mrs. N. Schoeneck and Miss Ariel Reiber of Tinley Park.

ORLAND PARK

Guests at the Wm. Kollman home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Steinhagen, and son Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Gebhardt Koehler. Roy Newton, Jr., is ill.

Mrs. James Creer who is in the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, is convalescing nicely.

Clarence Beagley is going to enjoy the great winter sport of tobogganing. He has just completed a large toboggan slide at his home.

Louis Daniels has purchased a Lincoln coupe.

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Saturday, January 25, 1930

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REAL ESTATE SALE of the Walsh property in Bowen's Subdivision, Blocks 12 & 13, North Lot 1 and 1-2 of Block 1, adjoining Balchowski's store in the village of Frankfort, Will County, Illinois

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1930

Commencing at 2 p. m.

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SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY, JAN. 18

TOILET PAPER 3 1000 sheet rolls .23

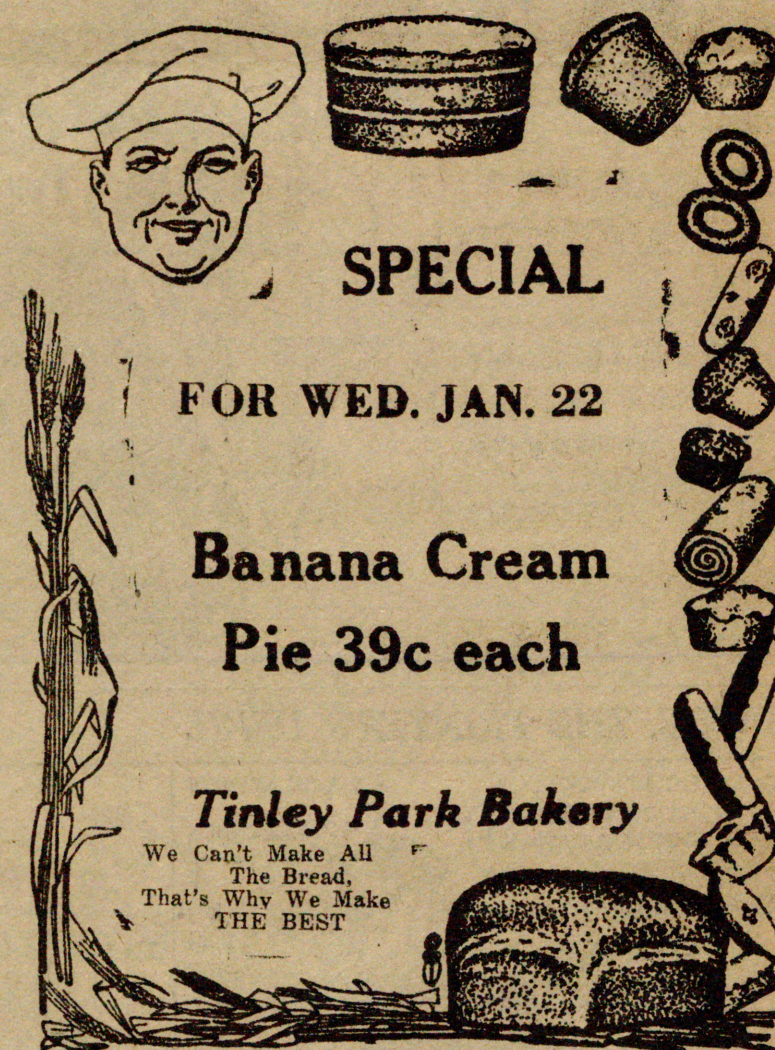
Sweet Cream Churned BUTTER lb. .39

Strictly Fresh EGGS : dozen .49

Choice POT ROAST : lb. .29

HOME MADE SUMMER and LIVER

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SPECIAL

FOR WED. JAN. 22

**Banana Cream
Pie 39c each**

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SUGAR : : 10 lbs. for .59

BALDWIN APPLES 4 lbs. for .25

ROME BEAUTY APPLES 3 lbs. for .23

FLINT'S BUTTER : : lb. .42

COFFEE BOURBON 3 lbs. for .93

PEANUT BUTTER G. S. large .21